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Gas Pleasure Ban Lifting? Ship Program Set for '44; 'Guilty French' Face Court

The World's Day—August 13, 1943

Boston: Pleasure Ban Change Expected Soon

Lifting of the pleasure-driving ban and announcement of changes in gasoline rationing may come before Sunday. [Page 5.]

Strikes or work stoppages in Lynn shoe plants have been banned by union agreement, and violators will be disciplined, representatives of the United Shoe Workers of America, C. I. O., announced today.

"Promises" of meat for New England are slow in fulfillment as OPA plans to work overtime to stand out remaining No. 3 Ration Books to late applicants. [Page 2.]

Aroostook County potato growers, who have a bumper crop this year, again will be permitted to import Canadians to swell the depleted ranks of harvest hands. About 750 Canadians crossed the border into Maine last year to harvest Aroostook potatoes.

Washington: Shipbuilding Program Set for '44

Twenty million deadweight tons of merchant ships are to be built in the United States during 1944 under a tentative schedule representing a compromise between plans of the Maritime Commission and the War Production Board. About one fourth of the 2,000 bottoms will be the new fast Victory Ships and C-type cargo vessels. [Financial Page.]

Ration coins to supplement, but not replace, ration stamps, are expected to go into use about Jan. 1, according to OPA's latest plans.

Paul A. Porter has moved over from the War Food Administration, where he was Associate Administrator, to become an assistant to Fred M. Vinson, Economic Stabilization Director.

OPA administrative shifts brought James G. Rogers from the Office of War Information to become Assistant General Manager, and James F. King from the Department of Labor to become Deputy Price Administrator in Charge of Information.

Herman B. Wells, President of Indiana University, has been named Deputy Director of the Office of Foreign Economic Co-ordination in the State Department. He will aid Assistant Secretary of State Dean Acheson in planning to rebuild economic activities abroad.

Job opportunities for older women have gained during the war, but not as fast as those for older men, reports the Women's Advisory Committee of the War Manpower Commission.

In Europe: Court Set Up to Try 'Guilty French'

A special commission to investigate the cases of Frenchmen who have collaborated with the Axis has been set up by the French Committee of National Liberation. Penalties have not yet been established, but will be fixed according to the penal code of the French Republic.

Nazi Government offices are reported moving to Vienna to escape destruction from Allied air raids on the German capital. It is also claimed that the Nazis are thinking of declaring Berlin an open city.

Pierre Laval's Nazi-patterned Black Shirt formations will be commanded by German officers, the British Radio reports, adding that Field Marshal Gerd von Rundstedt will command all French and German forces in the French Riviera.

Arrest of Gino Capelli, former Fascist leader, has been reported by Stefani, the official Italian News Agency. He was charged with incitement, and Dugeno Monti, a former vice-secretary of the Fascist Council of Venice, is said to have been arrested for possessing "a small arsenal of arms."

Fedor Tarasovitch Gusev's appointment as Soviet Ambassador to Great Britain, previously reported in the news, has now been officially announced by the Supreme Council of the Soviet Union.

Finland censorship was lifted sufficiently to permit the Helsinki newspaper, Suomen Sosialidemokratia, to say that while "one does not hope for peace in the near future we seem to hear an echo of coming peace." The paper went on to say that Finland is "awaiting great events."

Many arrests have been made by Nazi officials in the provinces of northern Holland in an effort to stamp out the increasing number of forays against Nazi administrative offices, "underground" sources report.

A secret manifesto urging Austrians to sabotage the German war effort at home and on the front and to make peace with the Allies is being circulated all over Austria, says the British Radio in a broadcast picked up by the Columbia Broadcasting System.

British prisoners in Italy were reported being transferred to Germany, presumably to take them out of reach of any Italian peace settlement. Peace talks meanwhile flamed anew in the Italian press. [Page 6.]

National: Normal Harlem Police Patrol Planned

Normal Harlem police patrols will be restored, Police Commissioner Lewis J. Valentine announced, but no provisions are being made to restore the dimout in that area, where it was lifted after rioting two weeks ago.

The Liberty Ship Thomas G. Masaryk slid down the ways at Wilmington, Calif., to become the founder and first President of the Czechoslovak Republic. Vladimir S. Hurban, Czechoslovakian Ambassador to the United States, dedicated the vessel.

New York City's air raid test held yesterday during the evening business rush stopped subways and elevated cars for 10 minutes, as well as taxis, busses, trolleys, and private cars. More than 2,500,000 persons were in transit, and another half million huddled in doorways.

Shrimp fishermen who picked a Westwego ice plant near New Orleans after going without ice nearly a week, have reached an agreement with the firm to receive a third of the plant's production.

Raised to an angle of 36.5 degrees, the U. S. S. Lafayette, former French liner Normandie, still contains 30,000 tons of water. Ninety-three pumps are working at an accelerated rate.

Probation for three years was granted to Gustav H. Kann in Federal Court at Baltimore after the former President of Triumph Explosives, Inc., of Elkton, Md., had restored about \$42,000 to the firm in a fraud case.

Vice Admiral A. B. Cook, raised to that rank from Rear Admiral, has been given command of the Tenth Naval District and the Caribbean Sea Frontier, with headquarters at San Juan, Puerto Rico. For 15 months he has been Chief of Naval Air Operations Training, at Jacksonville, Fla.

Wendell L. Wilkie broke the silence he maintained while conferring with prominent Republicans at his Rushville home in Indiana to say the G. O. P. "should and will" win the 1944 elections with "a constructive, liberal domestic program of expanding economy" and "a realistic foreign policy." [Page 3.]

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Coal Promised To N.E. Homes By Sale Group

Production now at record peak and wastage of fuel avoided by lessons in firing economy.

New England will have all the coal it needs to keep its homes warm this winter, despite reports from Washington of a 10 per cent cut in available coal supplies, representatives of the industry predicted today on their arrival in Boston from a dealer conference in New York.

They based their deductions upon two basic facts, that coal production is now at its highest weekly production peak in history and that home owners through strict conservation and knowledge of their heating systems can make up virtually any reductions in supplies by eliminating normal waste in their heating plants.

The industrial heads met with representatives of the regional War Production Board this morning to seek co-operation of government agencies here in the launching of an all-New England fuel conservation drive to keep homes warm despite fuel shortages, if any. On the other hand, the coal men seemed reasonably convinced that there was no need of anticipating any hardships so far as coal deliveries were concerned, that the shortages occasioned by coal mine strikes would be made up in the next few months of increasing coal production.

Shortage of Delivery Help

Meanwhile, local coal dealers reported on a wide scale that their storage bins have not been as empty at this season of year for some time, and that even if they had the coal they would be faced with a manpower shortage in making deliveries to the homes.

Figures presented to the New York conference of coal men by Oscar Ostby, New England Solid Fuel Administrator, indicated that local coal dealers had received less than 30 per cent of their normal coal requirements at this time. Few of the dealers were said to have any of the right kind of hard coal in their bins.

Thus New England entered a new seasonal phase of optimism countering pessimism on the coal front, with local figures presented by the hard coal administrator opposed to the anticipations of the industry that coal-using homes would be warm next winter.

"But no matter what the conditions are next winter," one industrialist stated, "conservation is a ready means at hand to make better use of the supplies that are available. On that score, we have launched a conservation drive in Rhode Island which we hope will spread into Massachusetts and throughout New England to show the householder how to take care of his coal-burning equipment and save heat losses through simple expedients."

Heavy Wastes Charged

This campaign is founded on simple controls of drafts, heat leaks and firing which waste up to 20 to 40 per cent of the fuel tossed into the coal furnace. It is based on the blanket rebuff to all householders that "they are the most wasteful fuel users in the world."

As part of their drive to help New England keep warm this winter, the industry reported the or-

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Rome Bombed in New Drive on Italy; Fleeing Nazis Crowd Messina Strait; Did Stalin Want Invitation to Parley?

Soviet's hope to avoid any clash with Japan seen in aloofness on Allied conferences.

By William H. Stringer
Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The statement by Tass, official Russian news agency, that the Soviet Government had not been asked to participate in the Roosevelt-Churchill meeting at Quebec is viewed here as re-emphasizing the fundamental concern of Anglo-American diplomacy today: The attainment of a closer understanding with Soviet Russia.

To clear up the question of invitation, it can be authoritatively stated that on several distinct occasions President Roosevelt and his British colleague have sought to persuade Premier Stalin to participate in a joint conference. The President and Mr. Churchill would be delighted to have Mr. Stalin or other Soviet representatives at Quebec. The President said as much at his most recent press conference.

The lack of invitation to Russia is ascribed here to the possibility that Premier Stalin, kept fully informed of the nature of the prospective deliberations and himself fully occupied with military direction of the developing Soviet offensives against Germany, may have asked that he be not invited.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull, asked at his press conference whether any invitation to Mr. Stalin had gone forward through State Department channels, replied that he had not checked closely because the President gave his own personal attention to such matters. He said he had no doubt that Mr. Roosevelt and the heads of the other chief United Nations were keeping each other informed on all phases of their respective situations and viewpoints.

The reasons why Joseph Stalin has preferred not to attend the Quebec conference are regarded here as highly important and instructive on the future course of Anglo-American-Soviet relations.

War Clouds Over Siberia

A prime motivating factor, it is believed, is the Soviet determination to give no offense to Japan at this juncture and to afford Tokyo not the slightest legalistic provocation for starting a war against Soviet Siberia. The clouds of threatened war are as heavy over Siberia now as at any time in past months.

The Tass agency statement declared that Russia had not expected to participate because of the "character of the conference." If Mr. Stalin knew that a portion of the Quebec deliberations would be concerned with speeding up the war against Japan and that this might be indicated to reporters at the close of the parleys he would quite likely prefer to be absent.

Simultaneously it is realized here that an effective way for Russia to bring pressure against the Anglo-American Allies for a second front against Western Europe

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Associated Press from U. S. Army Air Forces

The War Comes to Rome
A pall of heavy smoke rises from the San Lorenzo railroad yards in Rome after the raid on the Italian Capital by 500 United States Army bombers on July 19. Rome has just been subjected to another heavy air attack.

President Tells Filipinos Day of Liberation Is Near

By Roscoe Drummond
Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—For the first time in a public speech President Roosevelt, in renewing his pledge of an independent republic of the Philippines, has today hazarded a time element for the defeat of Japan. The President did not predict a day or a date when the war in the Pacific would come to an end, but he was more than ordinarily optimistic.

He told the Philippine people, in a special broadcast on the occasion of the forty-fifth anniversary of American occupation of the islands, that they "will soon be redeemed from the Japanese yoke."

Emphasizing that the Congress of the United States has acted to set up the independence of the Philippines, he assured them that "the time will come quickly when that goes into full effect."

How Filipinos View It

Filipino officials today interpreted President Roosevelt's promise of Philippine republic as soon as Japan is defeated as indication that independence legislation would be amended to make the islands free before July 4, 1946. Referring to the Tydings-McDuffie Act making the islands in-

dependent in 1946, Mr. Roosevelt asserted that Congress had "acted to set up the independence of the islands."

J. Elizalde, Philippine Resident Commissioner, said there was no question that the President meant the Philippine Republic would be established, "as soon as the Japanese are driven out of the Philippine Islands," and that Filipinos believed he intended to indicate an amendment of the Tydings-McDuffie Act so that the new republic could be established sooner than the scheduled 1946 date.

Mr. Elizalde emphasized the "tremendous propaganda value" of the speech in combatting what Mr. Roosevelt himself called the "false promises of the Japanese." Japan already has promised Philippine "independence" before the end of this year.

Help in Repairing War Damage

He stated that the Philippines would be assisted in the full repair of the ravages caused by the war. He reaffirmed that the Republic of the Philippines will be established the moment the power of the Japanese is destroyed.

It is known that President Roosevelt looks upon American treatment of the Philippines as a pattern for the United Nations treatment of former colonial possessions after the war and it is for this reason that his emphasis upon the co-equality of the Philippines may be seen as particularly significant.

The United States regards the lawful, though temporarily exiled, Government of the Philippines, he said, "as having the same status as the governments of other independent nations. That is why I

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Book for Souvenir

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Aug. 13 (AP)—James Brown, attendant at the souvenir counter of the Queenston Heights Restaurant here, refused to take any money yesterday from Miss Mary Churchill for several postcards.

"I'll send you a book as a souvenir," said her father, Prime Minister Winston Churchill.

He had Mr. Brown write his name and address on a slip of paper, handed it to an aide, and said: "Send him a book and a photograph."

Famous Old Château

SPECIAL TO THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR
QUEBEC, Aug. 13.—Château Frontenac, where Prime Minister Winston Churchill and his Army-Navy-Air delegation are conferring, is almost as famous as Quebec itself. King George VI and Queen Elizabeth attended their first Canadian social function in Canada at the Château, when they made their tour of the Dominion in 1939.

The Duke of Windsor while Prince of Wales, the late Duke of Kent, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, and the King and Queen of Siam also have been guests of the famous old Château.

Turin, Milan, Berlin and targets in Rhineland also under heavy aerial barrage—Americans seize Cape Orlando—Russians within five miles of Kharkov on north—Chuguev falls.

By the War Editor of The Christian Science Monitor
From Associated Press and other direct news dispatches

Rapidly moving events in the war zones are: Allied bombers of the Northwest African Air Force, estimated at 500, struck at Rome as the Allies resumed operations to bomb Italy out of the war.

British airmen hit at Milan and Turin in the heaviest raid so far on those cities.

British Mosquitoes attacked Berlin for the 68th time, and American Flying Fortresses raided Rhineland points.

Germans were reported evacuating Sicily, using a fleet of 80 vessels.

The American Seventh Army in Sicily captured Cape Orlando, bringing it within 35 miles of Messina.

The British Eighth Army, converging on Messina from the east, gained four miles.

The Russians came within five miles of Kharkov on the north and narrowed the German line of escape from the hemmed-in city to 37 miles.

East of Kharkov the Red Army was 22 miles away with the capture of Chuguev.

Other Russian forces were bearing down on Poltava, 70 miles west of Kharkov, and Bryansk, 250 miles to the north.

The large number of planes employed in the raids on Italy would indicate that the Allies were going all out for the elimination of that country. Doolittle's Fortresses over Rome were accompanied by lighter Mitchells and Marauders, which flew at low level, raking the great San Lorenzo and Littorio railway yards, through which pass Nazi supplies for Southern Italy.

Meanwhile, 1,000 British bombers and fighters were reported to have ranged out of Britain to renew the raids on Milan and Turin, the two great centers of industry—and also of unrest. Another Fortress raid, on Bonn and Gelsenkirchen in the Rhineland, cost 25 bombers, which indicates either that a very large number took part in the raid or else that the heavy defenses of the Rhineland industries are increasing their effectiveness.

In Sicily, signs of an approaching end of the struggle are visible. While the Allies are bombarding the Axis lines with leaflets instructing the troops how to surrender, General Patton has just completed his daring move for the capture of Cape Orlando by sending a landing party behind the enemy lines, and the cape is in Allied hands, with prospects of more rapid advance toward Messina, 35 miles away.

The Germans appear to be ferrying their troops across the two-mile-wide Messina Strait back into Italy. An evacuation headquarters has been installed, and about 80 ships are reported to be carrying out the operation as rapidly as the attention of Allied airmen and naval units will allow.

The main struggle, however, still is the terrific combat between the German and Russian forces in the Ukraine, where the Red Army has driven within five miles of the great steel city of Kharkov. The Germans, who are left with two southward running railways if they wished to withdraw to avoid encirclement, appear to be determined to hold on to the end in Stalingrad fashion.

The Russians are gradually closing the southward gap, which is now only 37 miles wide, while increasing the salient west of Kharkov has pushed within 45 miles of the key city of Poltava. Poltava is only a matter of 80 miles from the great bend of the Dnieper, which is presumably the goal of the present Russian offensive in the South.

Among the cities captured by the Russians are Chuguev, a railroad center 22 miles southwest of Kharkov and Kolontsev, west of Kharkov and about 30 miles above Poltava.

Continents:

Bombers Raid Rome, Berlin, Turin, Milan

One of the war's most destructive night-day aerial assaults against key Axis citadels thundered to a climax with both Rome

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Sidelights of Churchill Visit

QUEBEC, Aug. 13 (AP)—Mrs. Winston Churchill did not accompany her distinguished husband on his trip to Niagara Falls, the mecca of honeymooners. Canadian officials announced last night that Mrs. Churchill had gone sight-seeing near here.

She went to Kent House, a former residence of a former Duke of Kent, to view Montmorency Falls on the Montmorency River and then on to the Isle of Orleans in the St. Lawrence River. She was accompanied by Lord Moran, President of the British Royal College of Physicians; Col. Willis O'Connor, Aide de Camp to Canada's Governor General, and T. L. Rowan, private secretary to her husband.

Churchill Just Calls

RAF Hero a 'Buster'

By Canadian Press

Quebec, Aug. 13.—At a press conference somebody asked Wing Commander G. H. Gibson, RAF hero of the raid which wrecked the Möhne and Eder dams, if Prime Minister Winston Churchill calls him by his first name.

Commander Gibson smiled a bit sheepishly.

"No," he said. "As a matter of fact, he calls me 'Dam Buster.'"

Little Recognition

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 13 (AP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill's party to Niagara Falls was recognized by comparatively few along the route because of the secrecy surrounding the trip. Not more than 100 persons, most of them children, were on hand to watch the British leader board his train on the American side.

west of the Chateau Frontenac, conference headquarters. Artillerymen have set up tents on the plains—reported to be the first time in more than 100 years that troops have been billeted on that historic battleground of old French Canada.

It was understood additional military planes have been brought into the area by authorities charged with defense against possible enemy raids while the conference is in progress.

Anderson in London

LONDON, Aug. 13 (AP)—Sir John Anderson, Lord President of the Council, returned today from conferences in Washington and Quebec.

The Cabinet Minister said he talked with United States Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson

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Quebec Defenses

QUEBEC, Aug. 13 (AP)—This old city on the St. Lawrence—scene of an impending Churchill-Roosevelt conference—is better protected now than at any time in recent years.

An anti-aircraft battery has been set up on the Plains of Abraham.

Unit Lost in Jungle Guided Out by Bible

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA

(P)—The corporal of an Australian unit lost in the jungle related:

"I was idly turning over the New Testament and happened upon a passage in Acts (16:13) saying: 'And on the sabbath we went out of the city by a river side.'"

It was Sunday. The lost unit accepted the advice as a guide to safety.

Weather Report

Scattered Showers

Complete Weather Predictions for New England on Page 2.

Dimout Hours

Dimout begins Friday at 8:30 p. m.; ends Saturday at 9:15 a. m.

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More Policing Called Vice Problem Answer

By John Bond

Boston's vice problem as it involves men in the armed services can be traced in large part to about 10 cafes and "night spots" and can be controlled by more rapid police supervision, Miss Mary E. Driscoll, Chairman of the Boston Licensing Board said today.

Replying to charges made at a recent meeting of Massachusetts police officials that failure of local licensing authorities to close public houses is partly responsible for the vice and juvenile delinquency problem, the Licensing Board head said the burden of obtaining evidence which would lead to closing was a job for the police.

The Boston Licensing Board, Miss Driscoll said, "will close any place at which sufficient evidence is gathered to indicate that the establishment is directly contributing to the vice situation or otherwise committing infractions of the law. The police, however, are our agents in getting evidence. We have no investigators of our own."

Miss Driscoll did not name the establishments which she said were raising the biggest problem, but added they are well known to police officials in Boston.

More than a year ago they were named in a survey compiled by the Committee on Social Protection Measures of the Boston Committee on Public Safety as places where soldiers and sailors made contacts with undesirable girls and women.

A constant flow of reports to the police from the State Department of Public Health indicate that these places are still functioning in the same undesirable way.

Information concerning these places is obtained by nurses of the Public Health Department who interview infected servicemen at military or naval hospital in an effort to trace the source of the infection. When it is possible the woman or girl involved is apprehended and placed under treatment.

Miss Driscoll, who was connected with a Federal agency for the control of venereal disease during the last war, said that control of the problem can come only through co-operation of all concerned.

One of the most forward steps in combating the problem, Miss Driscoll said, was the appointment of police women to the Boston force. Fourteen of these women already have gone on duty.

Deputy Superintendent Thomas A. J. Kavanaugh, who heads the recently organized division of juvenile delinquency, said today at police headquarters that these police women are getting into the "night spots" and are being successful in picking up young girls and questionable women. They are also keeping a watchful eye on the Common which, under the dimout regulations, has presented a serious problem, Deputy Kavanaugh said.

Miss Driscoll also stressed the need for educational work on all fronts to further combat the vice problem.

"Not only should the soldiers and sailors be educated as to the dangers, but parents, children, the operators of these liquor establishments and police should be instructed in the problem," Miss Driscoll said.

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Postwar Problem No. 1?



By a Staff Photographer

Youthful Residents of Federal Housing Project in North Weymouth, Mass.
This particular defense housing community caters to families "with children." The question of what will happen after the war to the homes of these families, and others living under emergency housing conditions, is a pressing issue in the path of postwar planners. This project is at Wessagusset Hill.

New England Heroes Receive Navy's Crosses

Two New Englanders, awarded Navy Crosses, one posthumously, lead the list of heroes cited today on the fighting fronts.

Earle C. Johnson, Machinist's Mate, first class, of Manchester, N. H., "gallantly gave up his life" while attached to the U.S.S. Gwin off Savo Island, last November.

"Although the first enemy 4.7-caliber shell hit and filled the engine room with steam," his citation read, "Johnson, with utter disregard for his own personal safety, remained at his assigned battle station long enough to completely close the main injection valve to the main condenser, thereby enhancing the safety of the ship. Suffering acutely from severe burns, he finally abandoned his station, but died about seven hours later."

Lieut. Commander Malcolm T. Woodell, of East Providence, showed "superb airmanship and conscientious devotion to duty" as section leader of a fighting squadron during the occupation of French Morocco last November.

"When a force of hostile cruisers and destroyers was observed bearing down upon our transports at Fedala," the citation read, "Woodell led a flight of 16 planes through terrific anti-aircraft fire to intercept their attack. Pressing home vigorous and persistent strafing raids in support of a furious bombardment from our own surface ships, he contributed materially to the relentless fighting spirit which enabled our forces to set fire to three of the enemy vessels and drive off the others. No longer able to carry on because of severe wounds, he successfully extricated himself from a precarious situation by bringing down his badly damaged plane in a skillful forced landing."

Coxswain Richard A. Berry of Saugus was commended by the Chief of Naval Personnel "for outstanding bravery" as a gunner in the armed guard of a merchant ship in the Mediterranean, under attack by aircraft.

Stephen D. Kristof, Boatswain's Mate, second class, of Keene, N. H., was commended by the Commander of the South Pacific Area and South Pacific Force for continuing the fire of his gun aboard a destroyer-transport in the Solomon area, last September, "despite overwhelming adversity" at least two hits were scored on an enemy vessel.

Marine Sergeant Alexander R. Marotta of Somerville received the Silver Star for carrying ammunition under fire on Guadalcanal last fall, when he was a private, first class.

Marine Sergeant Lawrence Holmes Flynn of Brockton has been posthumously awarded the Silver Star Medal for repeatedly exposing himself to enemy fire while delivering messages and administering to the wounded on Guadalcanal.

The Navy and Marine Corps Medal was awarded for "extremely heroic and courageous conduct" during submarine patrols in the Pacific to Kenneth G. Armstrong, Jr., Chief Electrician's Mate, of Boston.

R. H. White Window Wins First Prize
First prize in a nation-wide contest for a window display featuring WAC and WAVE recruiting has been won by a Frank R. Splan design for the R. H. White Company. The announcement was telegraphed to R. H. White's by the judges on behalf of "Harper's Bazaar," which sponsored the contest.

Over 350 stores throughout the United States took part. Judges were Dorothy Shaver, vice-president of Lord & Taylor, Clifton Fadiman, literary critic, and Alex Brodovitch, art director of Harper's Bazaar. The first award was a \$100 War Bond.

The prize-winning window depicted "Molly Pitcher" of Revolutionary War days taking her husband's place at a cannon in comparison with a uniformed WAC standing among posters of modern women in service.

Building Experts Urge Means For Disposal of War Housing

The Real Estate Week
A Friday Feature

Setting up of Federal and local machinery to dispose of billions of dollars' worth of war housing after the war and thus to deal speedily and effectively with what may prove to be the home front's post-war No. 1 problem, was urged today by the National Committee on the Housing Emergency, comprising many of the nation's outstanding building experts.

Behind the Committee's plan announced through its vice-chairman, Joseph D. Leland of Boston, stalks grim reminders of shrinking home values and building stagnation caused by the dumping of the war housing on the markets following World War I. On this point, Mr. Leland is particularly clear, having served as vice-president of the United States Housing Corporation in World War I.

That is the basic procedure, details of which are included in the over-all plans of the emergency committee. They take into consideration the contention of Mr. Leland that some of the worst slums in the country today are holdovers from the war housing of the World War I. In Norfolk, Va., Mr. Leland pointed out for example that 20 years are required to catch up with the oversupply of houses.

"This time, not a few, but hundreds of communities in every part of the country, are faced with this problem. With 493,383 family units built by the government as against only 15,813 family units built in the last war, and 146,916 dormitory rooms, compared with 14,745 in 1917-18, communities cannot afford to wait until war plants shut down and thousands of new workers shift to their old homes or other cities. Solutions then may be short-sighted. Officials should determine now what disposition of emergency federal housing will best serve their local interest." W. C. H.

Foundation of "Ghost Towns"
But Mr. Leland's warnings today were sounded against the danger of conditions potentially "20 times worse than those following the first World War." He explained that whereas in World War I only \$119,632,000 worth of war housing was rushed to completion, the outstanding value of this war's housing, programmed or completed, has attained the staggering figure of \$2,078,788,534.

Mr. Leland added to that the amount of \$400,000,000 authorized by Congress as a backlog for further housing, while private enterprise has completed 830,000 dwellings, he said, of the defense housing type. Much of this private construction under FHA assistance he expected to revert to the Government after the war "by default."

Even representative building experts are finding it difficult to conceive of such colossal building under emergency conditions which demand speed first and quality second. The combination of the two has been attempted and in some respects attained in war housing. But generally speaking the industry holds war housing as providing the groundwork for "ghost towns" of the future, unless prompt action by Federal and local officials, city planning boards and realty agencies is mustered for postwar liquidations.

Sometimes a 20-Year Job
First of all, Mr. Leland believed this postwar action should be centralized under some Federal authority, possibly a disposal division of the National Public Housing Agency. Then representative agencies within local communities would be organized to work with the Federal group. All Federal agencies now in the housing picture would be required after the war to turn over most of their responsibilities to the disposal division.

Within 90 days after the war

Meats, Butter, Etc.—Today—Red "T," "U," and "V" stamps now good for meats, butter, margarine, cheese, shortening, fats and oils, canned fish and canned milk; expire on Aug. 31.

Aug. 15—Red "W" stamps become valid; expire Aug. 31.

Canned Goods—Sept. 20—Blue stamps "R," "S," and "T," now valid, expire on this date.

Sugar—Aug. 15—Stamp No. 13 good for five pounds; expires on this date. Stamps 15 and 16 now valid for five pounds each for home canning until Oct. 31. This is in addition to 15 pounds a person for which applications may now be made at local ration boards.

Aug. 16—Stamp No. 14 becomes valid for five pounds through Oct. 31.

Gasoline—Today—No. 6 coupons in "A" books, good for three gallons each, expire Nov. 22. Coupons in "B" and "C" books now good for 2½ gallons each. Expiration dates of "B," "C," and "D" coupons vary.

From now on, the face of every gasoline ration coupon in a motorist's possession must be endorsed

He Takes Shoe Stamp Along?



By a Staff Photographer

Fred Stone Talks Footwear Rationing With OPA
Comedian Star of the comedy, "You Can't Take It With You," now playing at a Boston theater, called on District OPA Director Lawrence J. Bresnahan yesterday afternoon. "I'm no Government man, no politician, and no diplomat," said Mr. Stone, "but I do see the necessity for rationing in wartime. I've been dancing all my life, so I have plenty of dance shoes I could use," he said, adding, facetiously, "when shoe rationing gets too tough, I can shine my feet or wear spats."

Milk Subsidy Is Suggested To N. E. Trade

Food Problems in New England

Government subsidies to New England milk producers—which would eliminate the necessity for raising consumer prices—were held to day to be the "answer" to demands by the producers for an increase of 70 cents per hundredweight for fluid milk.

Charles L. Foote, Price Officer of the Regional OPA, reiterating that, under President Roosevelt's Executive Orders, the OPA could not permit the 70-cent increase if it meant adding 1½ cents a quart to consumer costs, said that, in his opinion, a "Government subsidy will be the answer" to the present New England milk problem. Such a Government subsidy, it was explained, would halt inflation and, at the same time, give producers a larger return.

Milk Strike Off

At a mass meeting in Dartmouth last night, Fall River and New Bedford milk producers voted not to go on strike and dump their milk in a "second Boston Tea Party" on Monday. Their decision came after Price Officer Foote stated that, if they took such action, he would "wash his hands" of those who dumped milk if they were not granted a price increase.

July Milk Record

The volume of fluid milk sales by Boston handlers in July broke all records, Samuel W. Tator, Market Administrator, announced yesterday. He also added that producers in the Boston milkshed will receive the highest price ever paid for July milk in this area—\$3.26 per hundredweight—71 cents above last year's price.

Don't Buy Turkeys Now

Our boys in the armed forces overseas want 10,000,000 pounds of turkey for Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year meals, the Food Distribution Administration said today, as it requested the public not to buy any turkeys until the end of September.

Help Pick Apples

Everyone who can spare the time is urged to plan to harvest apples in the Nashoba Valley this fall. Growers have sent appeals for help far and wide, and if individual towns cannot sign up enough persons to pick the crop, appeals will be made to vacationists in other cities.

More Sugar for Jelly

Jelly in place of rationed butter as a spread for bread is apparently behind the OPA's move to boost by 40 per cent the allotment of sugar for jam and jelly manufacturers. The War Food Administration, which wants people to eat more bread, said that more frozen fruits for jams, jellies, and preserves would be released along with the increase in sugar allotments.

Ration Dates For Consumers

clearly in ink with his automobile registration number and the State where issued (for example, "Mass 529,328"). It is illegal to hold or carry coupons not so endorsed.

Fuel Oil—Sept. 30—No. 5 fuel-oil coupons now valid until this date for 10 and 100 gallons depending on class.

Today—No. 1 fuel-oil coupons good from today until Jan. 4, 1944. (Class 4, small domestic users, 10 gallons; class 5, large domestic users, 50 gallons.)

Tires—Sept. 30—Second tire inspection for A-book holders must be completed. Third inspection for C-book holders must be made by Aug. 30. Persons entitled to 240 miles a month gasoline rations are eligible for either Grade I or Grade II tires, difference in eligibility for the two grades being abolished.

Shoes—Oct. 31—Stamp No. 18 now valid for one pair through this date. Local ration boards now authorized to issue purchase certificates so that all persons may have two pairs of wearable or repairable shoes. Boards also may issue certificates for special occupational and safety work shoes.

Landlord Jailed, Fined
HARTFORD, Aug. 13 (P)—Louis Goldman, New Haven landlord convicted on 29 counts of violating rent control regulations, was sentenced to six months in Danbury Federal correctional institution and fined \$725 by Federal Judge J. Joseph Smith today.

Weather Reports
By the Associated Press
Scattered Showers
Boston and vicinity: Not much change in temperature with scattered showers tonight and Saturday forenoon, moderate winds.

Southwestern Maine: Rain, continued moderately cool tonight and Saturday forenoon.

New Hampshire and Vermont: Not much change in temperature with scattered showers and thunder showers tonight and Saturday forenoon. Moderate to fresh winds along the coast.

Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Not much change in temperature with scattered showers tonight and Saturday forenoon. Moderate to fresh winds along the coast.

Eastport to Block Island: No small craft or storm warnings are being displayed.

High Tides at Boston
Friday, 9:05 p. m.; height 11.6 feet.
Saturday, 10:31 a. m.; height, 9.8 feet.

Bountiful Meat Supply Is But a Myth in Boston

"If promises were steaks, we'd have some to broil," murmured New England housewives today as they hustled from market to market, finding meager supplies in some instances, and bountiful supplies in others—that is, "bountiful" compared with some weeks past.

As they parted with their red stamps—"U," "V," and "W"—they suddenly realized that they were nearly to the end of the alphabet, and many began to wonder when their No. 3 Ration Books would come into use.

The Boston Office of Price Administration had the answer to this in its announcement today that the entire staff of 282 workers—drawn from Director Lawrence J. Bresnahan down to the newest clerk—will work overtime three nights next week, without extra pay, to get the remaining 70,000 No. 3 books now on hand into the hands of late applicants.

No Need to Worry
The first 4,000,000 books to be distributed in the Bay State were addressed by Boston school children. However, many residents failed to file their applications before the June 10 deadline, and as a result are only now filing their cards. These are coming in at the rate of 500 to 600 a day, and hundreds of others are inquiring about their No. 3 books, Mr. Bresnahan added.

"There is no need for people to be alarmed," he said. "These No. 3 books will not be used until Sept. 12 at the earliest, to the best of our information. We are taking extraordinary measures to see that all books are in the mails as soon as possible, and, to that end, the entire staff is working overtime three nights next week, and everyone who can be spared from every department will work on them tomorrow and next Saturday," he said.

Some Shipments Delayed
Turning to the "promises" of extra meat for New England—which followed the recent visit of Washington's meat expert, G. S. Lawwell, John J. Doherty, District Meat Rationing Officer, said today that while some shipments had already arrived and had been sent to the Cape and other extreme-shortage areas, other promised shipments had been delayed.

"Receipts thus far are nothing to write home about," he commented. "At the present time, we have no records of what next week's shipments may be."

However, some markets in Greater Boston reported today that they had greater stocks of beef, lamb, and poultry than they had had for some weeks past. For others, the OPA promises had not yet been fulfilled.

Intown residents, or those whose travels take them to the vicinity of the Faneuil Hall market district, generally were more fortunate than those residing at shore and resort communities, where populations have been doubled during the summer months.

A general checkup showed that supplies were still a bit "spotty," with some markets having a fair supply, and others still on the "scarce" list.

line and food problems, the release is somewhat reluctantly laid aside for a more calm moment of reflection, only to have another, and another, and yet another news release follow in quick succession on the editorial desk.

Just in case one might be interested to wade through their respective 11, 5 and 2 pages—the latter filling every last quarter inch of both sides of the paper—they deal with "Restrictions on the delivery of livestock and meats—part 1410." Restrictions on the deliveries of beans, peas, and split peas, part 1491, and "Restrictions on the manufacture of pet foods, part 1403."

But—not a single one on restrictions on the use of paper!

Haverhill Board Is to Reclassify Deferred Cases
HAVERHILL, Mass., Aug. 13 (P)—Draft Board No. 76, of Haverhill, announced today it would reclassify for induction all men of military age, single or without children, who now are deferred on occupational grounds.

A statement said the Board felt that "the directive authorizing induction of fathers while single men and married men without children are retained in lucrative security of essential activity makes no sense to the Board and the Board will not be a party to such a senseless procedure."

Included among those to be reclassified will be single men, married men without children and fathers whose paternity is not recognized by Selective Service.

The reclassification will take place, the Board added, as soon as current deferments expire "regardless of their jobs or their qualifications or their places on replacement schedules."

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Figures' Opportunity
The back of Page 5 is clean and bare, fairly shouting itself hoarse to be used as scratch paper for figuring out just what the whole release really amounts to.

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Willkie Sees Challenge In '44 Election for GOP

BUSHVILLE, Ind., Aug. 13 (AP)—Wendell L. Willkie, talking with Republican leaders of the Eighth Indiana Congressional District at his home here Aug. 12, said the Republican Party "should and can" win the next Presidential and Congressional elections.

Disagreeing with the contention of some that the present Administration would be returned to office in 1944 if the war was not concluded at that time, Mr. Willkie said the Republican Party could win if it pledged that "necessary administrative and regulatory processes of Government will be conducted with competence and economy."

The text of the statement issued by Mr. Willkie, 1940 Republican Presidential nominee, follows:

Competence and Economy

"It has been suggested much of late that the present Administration will inevitably be returned to office in 1944 if the war has not been concluded by that time. With this opinion, I disagree. As a matter of fact, for the successful conclusion of the war, the necessary rehabilitation of the country after the war is over, and the enlightened conduct of our foreign policy, the Republican Party should and can win the next Presidential and Congressional elections. But in order to win, we Republicans must present to the people a constructive, liberal economic program of expanding economy, developed primarily through the forces of private initiative with an equitable distribution of the profits and social benefits among labor, agriculture and industry. We must judge that the necessary administrative and regulatory processes of government will be conducted with competence and economy."

"We must have the imagination to present a realistic foreign policy based on exclusive recognition of the Democratic forces in enemy and occupied countries; recognizing the position of America as effective and active cooperator in world councils and treaties with other nations for the preservation of the peace, and for the establishment of stable mediums of international exchange and the elimination of unnecessary trade barriers to the end that there may be an enlargement of commerce among the peoples of the world."

Adequate Strength

"But in addition to these purposes, we must also see to it that our country after the war is over retains adequate military, aeronautical and naval strength to implement and, if necessary, protect and enforce its foreign policy."

It will be through such foreign and domestic policies of enlightened self-interest that we will secure a prosperous economy at home and peace throughout the world. For these are the necessary prerequisites to creating jobs and opportunities for our returning

Napp told officials that the German Naval Attaché forwarded his reports on Allied ship movements. Napp managed a bar in the Port District of Buenos Aires where merchant sailors often met. The evidence showed that the spies used to invite sailors to meet at the bar, bought them drinks and then induced them to reveal the sailing dates of their ships, the destination and the kind of load they carried.

Friedwald was charged with proposing to dive into the waters of Buenos Aires port in order to place time bombs on Allied ships. The evidence showed that his offer was transmitted to Berlin but apparently never put into practice.

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soldiers and sailors, legitimate prices for the products of our farms, adequate wages and social protection for our industrial workers and legitimate return to enterprise capital.

"Our must be a program based not upon glittering and indefinite promises or the division of our people into warring and embittered groups. Our policy must be founded upon uniting our people for the practical functioning of our economy under competent private management, with the encouragement of completely administered government."

"We must put an end to the period when failure in private endeavor has been a passport to government service. When class political machines have dictated the appointment of foreign ambassadors and high judicial officers; when our minority groups have been by turn exploited and then protected for political purposes; when extravagance in public expenditures has been accepted as proof of love of common man and evidence of a liberal mind."

Must Repudiate Bigots

"In addition to the adoption of a liberal program, the Republican Party must completely forsake the long standing notion that it can win by the amalgamation of the dissident groups in America—the narrow nationalists, the economically selfish, who think that government exists merely for their own self-interest, the people who are afraid to fight or are unwilling to sacrifice unnecessary luxuries and who refuse to endure in wartime without complaint the restrictions necessary for the common good. Above all, it must repudiate completely the religious and racial bigots."

"In other words we Republicans must take the affirmative, eschew the negative."

"For America has been led too much in the negative in the last few years. At home we have been divided and divided, spending our substance in wasteful extravagances. In the world, our failure to assume obligations, in part at least, caused the frightful toll in life and property of the present war."

"The Republican Party must point the way to an affirmative America—America as she can be under enlightened and liberal leadership—at home, united, prosperous and socially advancing—abroad, respected as a practical worker for world peace and economic development and the leader of the gathering forces of enlightenment and independence."

"No Party was ever presented with such an exciting challenge as is offered to the Republican Party today nor with such an opportunity. All we Republicans need to do to win is to convince the American people of our sincerity and faith in such purposes, and to have the courage to face an opposition entrenched and truculent with power. As one devoted to the Republican Party, I ask to join you in this the most stirring cause of our time."

Argentina Is Urged to Deal Leniently With Nazi Spies

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Service Club for Women in Uniform



Gas Cut Due For Midwest Sunday Night

CHICAGO, Aug. 13 (AP)—Gasoline ration for motorists in Central and Middle Western States will be cut 25 per cent at midnight Sunday, according to a story in the Chicago Tribune.

Paul M. O'Leary, Fuel Rationing Chief of the Office of Price Administration in Washington, was said by the newspaper to have disclosed the size and plans of the reduction in a memorandum to regional OPA administrators. Details are set forth by the Tribune were:

"A," "B" and "C" coupons, now worth four gallons each, will be cut in value to three gallons each, starting at 12:01 a. m. Monday.

The reduction applies to all motorists between the Eastern Seaboard and the Rocky Mountains, but will not affect the Far West.

Harold L. Ickes, Petroleum Administrator for War, who said last week in Chicago a reduction was forthcoming, will broadcast reasons for the slash Sunday. At last week's meeting, Mr. Ickes said his function as Administrator was simply to inform the OPA of the amount of gasoline available. He said it then was up to OPA to ration it so as to keep consumption within that amount.

The OPA is expected to extend the restricted gasoline area from the Eastern Seaboard to Districts 2 and 3 established by the PAW. District 2 consists of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Ohio, Kentucky, and Tennessee. District 3 embraces Texas, New Mexico, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama.

One gallon of the A coupon will be for occupational driving and two gallons for non-occupational. At present, of the 16 gallons a month allowed on the "A" card, six gallons are considered non-occupational.

The maximum amount which will be allowed motorists needing their cars in the "course of work" will be cut from 720 miles a month to 480. This does not affect preferred motorists such as doctors, ministers and war workers who receive "C" cards according to actual need but without a specific limitation.

Current "B" and "C" coupons will become invalid after Sept. 1. Most "B" and "C" books expire at that time. Instructions on these renewals will be released later.

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Whitelaw Reid Mansion at New York Taken Over

Every member of the women's auxiliaries to the Army, Navy, and Marines, and similar corps of the other United Nations will be eligible to membership in the club. The converted mansion, where international society used to meet, has overnight accommodations for about 50 enlisted women, and shower and locker room for all members, recreation and game rooms, lounges, writing rooms, a library, and a canteen where meals will be served at cost, with Girl Scouts as waitresses. Officers of the Wacs, Waves, and Spars (above) are pictured in the powder room. A portion of the library is shown at upper right. Along the marble staircase (right center) enlisted personnel of the Wacs gather. At right center, Marines, Wacs, and Waves are pictured in one of the dormitory rooms.

Gas Is Under Rigid Dole In North Africa

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13 (AP)—Gasoline is doled out to French North African civilians under rigid controls, officials of the Army-Navy Petroleum Board said after Senator Ralph O. Brewster (R) of Maine asserted in Algeria that imported United States gasoline was used extravagantly.

Office of Economic Warfare officials, however, had "no information" on the purchase of Algerian wheat at \$2.10 per bushel which Senator Brewster also mentioned.

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Machinists' Move to Return To A. F. of L. Hits Auto Union

CHICAGO, Aug. 13 (AP)—A reported application from the Mechanics Educational Society of America for the American Federation of Labor's charter rights over machinists' jurisdictional warfare in the aircraft-automobile industry.

President William Green said the A. F. of L. Executive Council would hold a hearing today on the M. E. S. A. application.

The International Association of Machinists quit the A. F. of L. a few months ago, vacating the charter rights in the machine field. The divorce has not in a way become final, Harvey Brown, I. A. M. President, said his machinists were still "A. F. of L.-minded" but wanted an equitable settlement of their row with the carpenters.

There are sideline suggestions that the A. F. of L.'s flirtation with the M. E. S. A. is bait to lure the Machinists' Union back into the fold. The machinists claim a half-million members. The M. E. S. A. claims only 40,000 to 45,000 members.

The other principal union in aircraft and automobiles is the Congress of Industrial Organizations United Auto Workers.

The M. E. S. A. is headed by Matthew Smith, and was the nucleus of the Confederated Unions of America which Mr. Smith formed in Chicago last October. It set out to become a third labor movement, Donald Cameron, Secretary of the C. U. A., said that Mr. Green's announcement of an application from the M. E. S. A. was news to him.

"As far as we know," said Mr. Cameron, "they (the M. E. S. A.) have been offered an A. F. of L. charter but haven't taken it up."

Mr. Green, answering a press conference question, denied the A. F. of L. had solicited an application from the Mechanics Educational Society.

U. S. Agency Is Sought To Save Europe's Jews

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13 (AP)—A three-man delegation representing the Emergency Committee to save the Jewish People of Europe appealed to Secretary of State Cordell Hull Aug. 12 for the formation of an official United States agency charged with the task of saving the Jews of Europe from extermination.

Dean Alfange of the Executive Board of the Emergency Committee told newsmen it believed that the United States must take the initiative in this matter. Once an official American agency has been formed, he said, other nations should be asked to join with the ultimate aim of making it a United Nations organization.

"We believe," he said, "that with the fortunes of the United Nations now in the ascendant, the Axis satellite nations—such as Bulgaria and Rumania—could be persuaded to facilitate the escape of Jews via the Black Sea to Turkey and thence to Palestine. Neutral Switzerland, meanwhile, could take a larger number from neighboring Austria, France, and Italy."

The Executive Board of the Emergency Committee has decided, Mr. Alfange said, to send delegations to Turkey, Spain, Palestine, and Portugal to determine to what extent rescue work could be furthered there. In this connection Secretary Hull was asked to facilitate the granting of transportation priorities to the delegations.

Mr. Alfange and the other members of the delegation—the sculptor Jo Davidson and Peter H. Bergson, head of a Palestinian delegation to the United States—said Mr. Hull had given them a sympathetic hearing and promised to give their appeal his immediate consideration.

[Representative Emanuel Celler, (D) of New York, said Aug. 11 he was reliably informed the British Foreign Office and the United States State Department would issue a joint statement soon on refugee problems "silencing all discussion on the Arabian-Jewish question in Palestine" and discouraging efforts to make Palestine the home land of the Jews. Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles, asked about the Celler statement Aug. 12, said he had not yet seen it and therefore could not say whether he would have any appropriate comment to make on it.]

Refugee Post Filled

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13 (AP)—The State Department announced Aug. 12 the appointment of Patrick Malin of Joplin, Mo., as vice-director of the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees.

Mr. Malin, formerly professor of economics at Swarthmore College, was chief of the Chemicals and Drugs Branch of the Office of Price Administration last year and at present is deputy chief of the Division of Program Requirements of the Office of Foreign Relief and Rehabilitation Operations.

The Executive Committee of the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees met in London Aug. 4 to consider the recommendations of the Anglo-American Conference on Refugee problems held last April in Bermuda, the announcement added. Sir Herbert Emerson, the director of the Committee, is preparing now to communicate the Committee's views to the 32 member governments.

\$130,000 Award for Attorney In Modern 'Informers' Suit'

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 13 (AP)—A \$130,000 settlement went to Harry L. Marcus, attorney, for digging up an old Civil War "informer's suit" law and prosecuting a group of electrical contractors who had pleaded no defense to charges of "bid rigging" on jobs in which Federal funds were involved.

The Government also received \$130,000 under the agreement approved by the United States District Court yesterday. The defendants were the Pittsburgh Electrical Contractors Association and 41 individual contractors and firms.

The old law provides that informers can sue for twice the amount involved in a proved fraudulent contract involving Federal funds and receive one half of the award. It was testified at the contractors' trial that their Association's Secretary averaged the bids, added a percentage for profit and overhead and then assigned the "low bid" to a firm, with all others bidding higher.

Originally Mr. Marcus, represented by Charles J. Margiotti, former Attorney General of Pennsylvania, asked for \$1,500,000. The 61-day trial was the longest on record here.

Testimony covered losses Mr. Marcus charged occurred by pre-

arranged bids on school, municipal construction and other Public Works Administration projects.

Mr. Marcus said after the settlement that the two years' court fight had about used up the award. The case once was thrown out of court by the Circuit Court of Appeals and later sustained by the Supreme Court.

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War Prisoner Cost Mounts in India

LONDON, Aug. 13—The cost of keeping prisoners of war in India has amounted to more than £11,000,000 in the last three years, according to a statement by Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck reported by the British Radio today.

The entire expenditure had been borne by the British Government, General Auchinleck added, according to the radio.

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Hollywood Letter—New Films in Boston Music Stage—Week-End Preview

'See Here, Private Hargrove'
Now Coming in Screen Version

By Frank Daugherty

Hollywood, Calif. — Sargeant Marion Hargrove, who became famous for his collection of Army yards collected under the title of "See Here, Private Hargrove," will add movie royalties to the book royalties and the \$2 each he is to receive for the first place in the first place from the Charlotte (N.C.) News-Sun for his story of a soldier in an Army camp for the first place.

The picture will be made by MGM, with Robert Walker, Donna Reed, and Keenan Wynn in leading roles. Mr. Walker, the husband of the actress, who is currently playing in "The Song of Bernadette," is making his fourth picture. He was in "Bataan," "Madame Curie," and "The White Cliffs of Dover," two of which remain unreleased.

Miss Reed, on the other hand, has made some 18 pictures. Both Mr. Walker and Miss Reed had part in the picture, which was filmed in the new medium.

Keenan Wynn has been in some 50 stage productions, but only two pictures. He is a son of Ed Wynn, and a grandson of Frank Keenan.

"See Here, Private Hargrove" was encouraged by Maxwell Anderson, the playwright who, after the last war, wrote "What Price Glory," with Laurence Stallings. Mr. Anderson, doing research for "The Boy of St. Mark" at Fort Bragg, met Private Hargrove there, read some of his newspaper pieces, and helped him find a printer for them.

Nothing apparently was expected from the book by anyone but Mr. Anderson. The book, which had been printed in good type, was not to be published. But Mr. Anderson's temper to have gauged the temper of two wars.

It may please Sargeant Hargrove to know that his old commanding officer, Captain Edward J. Flynn, a technical adviser to the film, Private Hargrove had some pertinent things to say about his commanding officer when he was still a K. P. at Fort Bragg.

The picture will not be very closely related to the Hargrove stories. A skin of drama had to be woven into it and the introduction of Miss Reed has little to do with Hargrove's essays.

An interesting side note on the picture's fictional aspects is that the script presented an accurately Private Mulvihill, one of the actual

Oberon-Aherne
Co-Starred In
Commando Film

"First Comes Courage," which had its first Boston showings at the Paramount and Fenway theaters yesterday, is another Commando film. It is very much like its predecessors, except that in this one, Merle Oberon, as a Norwegian underground worker, puts aside her love for Brian Aherne, Commando captain, in order to continue her battle against the Nazis. Her newly acquired Nazi husband has just been killed by Mr. Aherne, and she argues that as the widow of a Nazi hero, she will have even better opportunities to serve the cause of the United Nations.

This is the climax of a film which otherwise follows closely the usual pattern, with the landing of two English agents, one of whom is killed, the capture of the other (Mr. Aherne), his escape from the hospital through the help of Miss Oberon, her marriage to a Nazi major who is slain as indicated by the English captain, and finally the inevitable chase. The lovers flee in the major's car, pursued by a careful of Nazis. Of course the Commando raid is carefully timed to permit the escape of the lovers, while their pursuers are disposed of by dynamiting of a bridge.

Although the Germans are not represented as completely stupid in this film, they are no match for the Commandos, who destroy their military installations with a minimum of casualties. There is a lot of action, considerable suspense, and a great deal of conversation, all well within the formula, which includes an oversteering of the personal love interest at the expense of more important matters.

Miss Oberon is attractive. Mr. Aherne nonchalant. Carl Esmond is satisfactory as the German major, and Fritz Leiber does well as a patriotic Norwegian physician. Reinhold Schunzel does what he can with the role of a Nazi colonel, but he has not been given an opportunity such as he embraced so successfully in a recent picture about the underground in Czechoslovakia. The musical score, by Ernst Toch, is notable for its dramatic matching of music with action.

The companion picture is "Petticoat Larceny," in which Joan Carroll appears as an 11-year-old radio star who mixes with underworld characters with the idea of getting material for her aerial melodramas.

Robert Walker and Donna Reed
In "See Here, Private Hargrove"

Mumma at Jacob's Pillow

The next to the last program in the Jacob's Pillow dance series held at the theater near Lee Mass, will be given on Aug. 21, and have as its guest artist Sargeant Barton Mumma, who will be on furlough from Keeler Field, Mass. This will be Sargeant Mumma's second appearance at Jacob's Pillow since his induction into the army a year and a half ago. The Saturday afternoon program, which starts at 5 o'clock, will be repeated in the evening (starting at 9) at the Curtis Hotel in Lenox.

Other artists to appear on this program are: Nathalie Kravskova, Grant Mouradoff, and Ted Shawn. The program follows: "Banner Bearer," "Scarlatti," "Bach Bourree," by Mumma; a duet by Kravskova and Mouradoff, "Pierrot in the Dead City," Mumma; "Japanese Spear Dance," by Ted Shawn; "War and the Artist," "Cane Cutting," "Puerto del Vino," Mumma; "Osage Pawnee," Shawn; "Polka," Mumma; a duet by Kravskova and Mouradoff, "Victory Waltz," Mumma.

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Leon Henderson to Open
Series of Commentaries

By the Radio Editor of The Christian Science Monitor

Variety: Commander G. A. Patterson, United States Navy, will describe the work of the men of the hydrographic department of the Navy who chart ocean depths, on the United States Navy's School of Music, "Victory," MBS, WBZ, 9:30 p. m. The same program will also feature Wagner's "Prelude to Act III" of "Lohengrin," and Strauss' "Perpetuum Mobile."

Saturday
Reports: Leon Henderson, former Office of Price Administration Administrator and Government economist, will begin a weekly series of commentaries on national affairs, Blue-White, 6:45 p. m.

Music: Arthur Fiedler will conduct the final Esplanade Concert of the season, Blue-White, 8:15 p. m. Popular and classical music will be intermingled on the "Chicago Theater of the Air," with Marion Claire, soprano, Attilio Baggiore, tenor, and Henry Weber conducting the symphony orchestra, MBS-WNAC, 9 p. m.

Sunday
Music: Nathan Milstein, violinist, will be soloist with the New York Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra in a performance of Mendelssohn's E minor violin concerto, CBS-WEEI, 3 p. m. The orchestra, conducted by Fritz Reiner, will also present Shostakovich's Symphony No. 6, Private Nicholas Harsanyi, violinist and former member of the Budapest Quartet, will conduct the Fort Dix String Symphony in its premiere performance, MBS-WNAC, 3 p. m. Mischa Elman, violinist, and Jennie Tourel, mezzo-soprano, are soloists with Andre Kostelanetz' orchestra, CBS-WEEI, 4:30 p. m. Saint-Saens' "Suite Algerienne" and the finale of Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 4 will be featured by Frank Black, conducting the NBC Symphony Orchestra, MBS-WBZ, 5 p. m. Elton Farrell, soprano, will sing Lehar's "Yours Is My Heart Alone," and Mack Harrell, baritone, will perform "Largo al Factorum" from Rossini's "The Barber of Seville," on the Family Hour with Al Goodman's orchestra and chorus, MBS-WNAC, 5:30 p. m. A parade of Irving Berlin's songs from the days of "Alexander's Ragtime Band" to the present time will light the "Thanks to America" show, with Ted Cole, tenor, and Bobby Norris, conducting the orchestra, Yankee-WNAC, 5:30 p. m. Albert Spalding will be guest soloist of "Chamber Music Society of Lower Basin Street" with Hazel Miller.

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Rome Under Air Assault; Nazis Flee at Messina

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and Berlin attacked in the same way. Milan and Turin pounded in the heaviest attack ever made on Northern Italy.

American members of the North-west African Air Force struck by daylight in their second raid on the Italian Capital after British night fighters had bombed the city. The attack was the first of a series of raids on Italian cities and air bases. The German High Command has established a special headquarters to coordinate evacuation facilities to the mainland and to guard the toe of Italy against a surprise landing.

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Germany:

American Bombing Rhineland Points

American Flying Fortresses attacked industrial targets at Gelsenkirchen, Wesseling and Bonn in Germany's Rhineland. United States Army Air Force Headquarters said 25 of the big four-engine bombers were lost in the three-day daylight assault.

Messina:

Fleeing Germans Clutter Strait

A German flight from Sicily across the narrow Messina Strait to the Italian mainland was reported to be in full swing, with United Nations airmen taking a heavy toll of the ferries and their occupants despite a terrific Axis anti-aircraft barrage over the strait.

The Germans were using at least 50 vessels day and night for the narrow hop across the strait. They have concentrated hundreds of

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Sicily:

U. S. Forces Take Cape Orlando

United Nations authorities announced that the United States Seventh Army had captured Cape Orlando, the German coastal stronghold which was outflanked by an American landing from the sea on Aug. 11.

The fall of the cape, little more than 40 miles west of Messina, came after American troops to the east and west had established a junction and overrun the adjacent towns of Naxos and Brolo.

Axis prisoners now exceed 130,000, it was announced.

The Americans, under Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., sprang forward eight miles along the northern coast through Cape Orlando while the British Eighth Army advanced four miles on the East Coast, threatening Taormina.

Both Allied wings were within 35 miles of Messina, whose beaches were the scene of an increasing enemy evacuation movement to Italy.

Randazzo, the central anchor of the Germans' rear guard line, was menaced from the flank as American infantrymen surged forward over the northern ring of mountains. Its occupation was in sight.

Germans Quickened Flight to Italy

The enemy's evacuation to the Italian mainland quickened its pace on the afternoon of Aug. 12, when from 35 to 50 vessels of various kinds were seen at one time in the narrow, heavily defended Messina Straits. The withdrawal started at least 10 days ago.

Ross Munro, Canadian press correspondent, said in a dispatch from the Eighth Army front that a considerable portion of three mauled divisions—the Hermann Göring,

the 15th Armored, and the 29th Motorized—apparently might get away.

Meanwhile, American warships steamed ahead and wrecked enemy railway and highway communications as far east as Marina di Patti, 28 miles due west of Messina.

The veteran British 50th Northumbrian Division crashed through four miles on the East Coast just below Taormina after British naval guns had raked the enemy's positions at Cape Ali, which is on Messina Strait between Taormina and Messina.

The Eighth Army reached the village of Treacirafi, on the East Coast three miles south of Riposto, and is threatening Giarre, a communiqué said.

"Northwest of Mt. Etna, after bitter fighting north of Bronte, the Eighth Army succeeded in making an advance toward Maitello in co-operation with the United States Seventh Army. Troops, who are now four miles from Randazzo on the Cesaro road," it stated, "American mobile forces covering the left of this advance on Randazzo made considerable progress across the mountain today."

"Great naval activity in support of the armies still continues on the north and east coasts of Sicily," a naval bulletin announced, and it told of a series of blows from the sea at German traffic routes and troop positions during the week.

The Italian High Command, in a communiqué radiocast from Rome and recorded by the Associated Press, said "the enemy attack, developed with large employment of armored units and supported by air masses in collaboration with naval forces, compelled Italian and

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As War Turns Against the Axis in Sicily and Russia



Backing the Nazis Against Italian Toe
The three slowly converging United Nations lines headed for Messina, gateway to the toe of Italy, are shown by arrows. In the center of the Messina triangle General Patton's Americans are fighting beside General Montgomery's Britons.

Nazis Want to Know 'Why' at Ploesti

By the Associated Press
Istanbul, Turkey

Aug. 11. Delayed Germany has ordered a military court to investigate the Ploesti oil fields pending the outcome of an investigation to fix blame for the American raid on Aug. 1 which caught the defenders napping. It was learned today.

Military heads are expected to roll as a result of the attack on that vital Rumanian oil supply.

Reports reaching here said the American planes were upon Ploesti just as the alarm sounded, that some of the long-prepared defense facilities never got into action, and that others functioned only partially.

An eyewitness to the raid said that most of the Rumanian guard had taken the Sunday off, leaving only a skeleton force.

The fall of Chuguev, main enemy bastion, 22 miles southeast of Kharkov, cleared the path for encirclement of the Ukrainian center.

The newspaper Red Star reported the main battles were raging along the Kharkov-Poltava rail line. The enemy here was throwing in fresh reserves, including all sorts of special units operating as infantry to stem the Soviet advance.

Soviet tanks operating ahead of the main masses of troops gave the Germans no breathing spell or a chance to arrange their forces.

The capture of Kolontayev, 30 miles from Poltava on a tributary of the Vorskla River, threatened that German base. Operations there run along a wide bulging front stretching westward from Kharkov and jutting across the Kharkov-Poltava railroad and back to the district west of Akhtyrka.

Dispatches on the Chuguev battle described strong fortifications through which the Germans supplied their entire defenses of the western bank of the Northern Donets. Soviet troops forced the river far north of the city and closed in through the forest after capturing several settlements along the route.

The city was finally taken when other Soviet units crossed the river in the region of the city itself after a violent three-directional assault.

The local population, armed with German weapons, assisted Red Army groups in capturing Ger-

Americans Near Randazzo
The position of these mobile forces was not defined, but advice from the front on Aug. 12 indicated some American ground forces were then within three miles of Randazzo.

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U. S. Naval Blockade Intercepts Ship
Today's communiqué from Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific reported a success in the naval blockade intended to prevent aid from reaching the Japanese at Balok on New Georgia island by the sea. Light craft, presumably motor torpedo boats, intercepted an enemy auxiliary vessel at night in the Blackett Strait leading into the Kula Gulf and probably sank it.

On the New Guinea jungle front, there was skirmishing and artillery exchanges five miles south of the menaced Japanese air base of Salamaua and a few big four-engine bombers raided the isthmus on which Salamaua extends into the Huon Gulf.

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Gains also were reported west and southwest of Kromi, between Orel and Karachev. Soviet guards stormed into Dmitrovsk-Orlovsky, which the Germans had transformed into a strongly fortified bastion, and smashed enemy resistance after heavy street fighting.

The Kharkov escape corridor has been narrowed to 37 miles and as the struggle for the city entered its ninth day advances from the front indicated the Germans would fight to a finish rather than attempt a strategic retreat. Their losses were heavy, according to the Soviet communiqué, 3,000 officers and men being killed in two days of battle. Nearly 500 prisoners and 36 tanks were taken.

As the Russians moved in on a semi-circle which surrounded three quarters of the city more than a score of towns and villages fell into their hands.

West of Kharkov Soviet columns were fanning out toward Poltava and Sumy, nearing the high-water mark of the February drive.

Soviet bombers roared overhead to blast Poltava, setting large fires and disorganizing German troop movements. Little German air opposition was reported.

German radiocasts admitted that Russian pressure in the Kharkov area was "appreciably increased" in 24 hours, but explained that by the German "elastic method" of defense "some piece of terrain is left to the enemy here and there, since possession of it is not worth excessive sacrifices in view of the general operative situation."

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Kuriles:
40 Enemy Planes Fought Off
An Alaska dispatch referring to the previous day's United States

Solomons:
U. S. Naval Blockade Intercepts Ship
Today's communiqué from Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific reported a success in the naval blockade intended to prevent aid from reaching the Japanese at Balok on New Georgia island by the sea. Light craft, presumably motor torpedo boats, intercepted an enemy auxiliary vessel at night in the Blackett Strait leading into the Kula Gulf and probably sank it.

On the New Guinea jungle front, there was skirmishing and artillery exchanges five miles south of the menaced Japanese air base of Salamaua and a few big four-engine bombers raided the isthmus on which Salamaua extends into the Huon Gulf.

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Japan Found Vulnerable Through Northern Door

By Robert Wertheimer
Written for The Christian Science Monitor

The northern door to Japan has been used recently in the raid on the Japanese base of Paramushiro in the Kuriles. This attack met very little opposition, but weather conditions have been highly unfavorable, leading to the impression that not more than sporadic raids should be expected in this region. Nothing would be more misleading than to consider the northern route to Japan as a minor factor of the Pacific war.

It is in the north that Japan has remained closest to this Continent while her southward expansion in the first year of the war has led her to the fringes of the Indian Ocean.

It is true that the rich raw material resources and great naval bases are located in the southern Pacific and that evicting of the Japanese from one base after the other will help to whittle down her strength in a war of attrition. Moreover Japan is afraid of major drives from India, Australia and New Guinea which first would take from her the Dutch East Indies.

But if the Allies want to proceed quickly in the war against Japan it would be necessary to carry the attacks against her mainland.

Northern Road Is Open
The Continental base of China suffers under communication difficulties and decisive improvements cannot be expected before the termination of the war in Europe. By that time, the Russian position in Siberia will also have become clear.

The Allies cannot wait until the Continental war from Asia against Japan can be whipped into the right shape as result of the end of the war in Europe. It will be necessary to prepare now for such a situation and the Allies possess all the tools to support such a campaign by an extensive use of a Northern Pacific strategy.

In fact, if the drive on Japan from the Asiatic mainland should become less promising for one reason or the other, it would be possible to continue independently in the northern war against the enemy.

The key bases to the northern strategy are the Kurile Islands and Karafuto. If it is decided to adopt a northern invasion route to Japan, then it would be necessary to use other means for attacks in these regions than nuisance raids.

Most Northern Japanese Base
Paramushiro is the most mountainous of the Kurile Islands. Japan is known to have established there her most important northern base. Karafuto is located near the Siberian mainland about 100 miles west of the southern Kuriles. While an invasion of Karafuto would be much easier than that of the small Kurile islands, the latter must be gained first to enable an extension of a front to the Okhotsk Sea. With the occupation of Karafuto the Allies would become neighbors of Soviet Russia and no doubt would receive the necessary Sakhalin oil for mechanized operations.

In this way the Allies would be in a position to attack Hokkaido from two directions by a pincer movement in the Okhotsk Sea.

Japan has never been invaded except from the North when the Mongolian Ainus, using the Kurile Islands as stepping stones, moved into the interior of Japan. This Japanese fear of the North has led to the legend that a war which leads them northward would inevitably be followed by the doom of the Emperor—and their Empire.

That superstition may one day become a valuable ally.

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Vacations on All-Year Basis Shelve Labor Day Conclusion

Touraboute

By Leavitt F. Morris

Travel Editor of The Christian Science Monitor

A New England tradition of many years' standing has gone out with the war. Labor Day no longer is considered the end of the vacation season. Vacations now are on a year-around basis.

Since Pearl Harbor, Government officials have urged Americans to spread their holidays throughout the year in order to relieve the burden of public transportation facilities. People especially were asked not to take vacation trips during the peak travel months of July and August.

Last year many Americans, including a large number in the New England area, broke the tradition and took their vacations in the autumn or winter months in which to take their vacations. And from all reports, considerable enthusiasm has been expressed by these persons over their choice.

Indications are that even a greater number of New Englanders will take vacations this year after the so-called Labor Day deadline. Recent reports of mounting reservations for the fall and winter months, particularly those located near the mountains and winter sports facilities.

The trend, hotelmen say, is definitely toward seasonal vacations. Labor Day, rather than being the end of a vacation season, is just the beginning of another.

These heavy wooden shutters that used to be clamped on every window right after Labor Day are today being broken up for kindling wood. Hotelmen are busy fitting snug storm windows on their establishments. Managers who used to go South when the first maple leaf turned crimson will now stay to see the snow through.

New England vacation business for this year is termed by those connected with it as "excellent." Most hotels and lodges, despite the ban during the early part of the summer forbidding driving to vacation resorts, have had more guests clamoring for reservations than they had accommodations.

Following the announcement from the Office of Price Administration that motorists could use their cars for a round-trip to summer homes or resorts, a new surge of vacation interest swept the New England area.

Early last spring when a score of New England resort operators met in Boston to decide whether they would open at all this year the majority of owners decided they'd give the vacation business "one more fling."

And no one is sorry they did.

Pikes Peak in Autumn

Colorado Springs travel officials, in line with the efforts of the OPA to spread vacations over out various seasons of the year, point out that the Pikes Peak Region has ex-

ceptional recreational and scenic advantages in the autumn. In the fall the aspen begins to turn the golden hues that transform the mountains which surround this region into a rainbow of color. The days are bright, sunny and crisp, and there is practically no rain or fog in the autumn. This year will be the first year in several decades for thousands of vacationists to "discover" the delights of autumn in Pikes Peak, primarily because many of them were not able to obtain accommodations during crowded summer months. Hotel owners in the area report a greater demand this year for September and October reservations than ever before.

Tourist Boom Expected

Travel authorities in Ontario predict that immediately following cessation of hostilities, there will be a tourist "boom" in the country bordering the 153-mile stretch of highway between Geraldton and Hearst, which constitutes the last link of the Trans-Canada Highway. Although actually completed last autumn, this road was not kept snow-free during the winter months, and is just now officially declared open to motor traffic. This new highway makes accessible many lakes and streams which have scarcely ever been visited by tourists.

10,000 Pleasure Boats

The postwar visitor to California will behold a scene which probably will not be duplicated anywhere else. It will comprise more than 10,000 pleasure boats, ranging from the powered or sailing yachts of movie stars and millionaires to smaller, but nonetheless beautiful, craft of ocean enthusiasts.

During peacetime these 10,000 pleasure boats cruise off the southern coast and on week-end trips to the Channel Islands, but now they either are in Government service or kept at anchor by war restrictions.

Those being used by the Navy or Coast Guard have been painted gray, their low hulls merging with the horizon. But after the war, these boats, big and little, will return to their one-time splendor, and in the opinion of the All-Year Club of Southern California, community travel organization, will again provide a unique and thrilling sight.

In the meantime, however, the Club is assisting the men who sail these boats, as well as all sailors and soldiers who visit Los Angeles. At the Club's official Visitors' Bureau self-guiding maps to points of interest are distributed and other assistance is given to make their furloughs in Los Angeles and vicinity pleasurable.

'Blowup' From the Top Down In Reich Seen by La Guardia

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—A prediction that a "blowup" from the top down will come in Germany in the near future was voiced by Mayor Fiorello H. La Guardia in his address of welcome to the twenty-fifth annual convention of the American Legion at the Pennsylvania Hotel here today.

"I think that a blowup will come in Germany from top," he told the Legionnaires. "It won't be long before the general staff will fight among themselves. Somebody will shoot somebody else. It makes no difference who. None of them are any good anyhow, but that will start something."

Italy, to all intents and purposes, is out of the war, "except that it is Germany's advantage to keep Italy going and, if possible, to have Italy as the battlefield instead of farther north on the continent," the Mayor declared. He saw the Germans as fighting to hold the air bases and industrial regions in the North of Italy.

"For the first time in 20 years, Italian people have spoken," he continued. "They have spoken for peace and want peace. Now the responsibility rests with the present Italian Government. Either they must side with the United Nations or fight with Germany and take the consequences."

"After it is over in Europe, we still have a job to do in the Pacific. One thing we must guard against is that we do not go sentimental and find time to sit at a peace conference. I will fight to the very last to prevent the Gov-

ernment sitting at a peace conference with Japan at any time. They have disqualified themselves and the thing to do is to talk to them in the only language they understand—the language of brute force. We must crush them so that we will have no trouble in the Pacific for the next 500 or 600 years."

At several points in his address, the Mayor appealed for a "real united front" behind the Commander in Chief and the fighting forces. He told of receiving letters from soldiers voicing anxiety over differences of the home front. There must be no let up or interruption of production, he declared, adding that anyone who leaves his bench, goes on strike, is "double-crossing American boys at the front."

Mr. La Guardia held that all organizations must contribute their part in "clear and unselfish thinking" about postwar problems.

"There should be more organized planning so that we will know exactly what we are going to do when this vast army comes home, when industries stop producing war material," he continued.

Civilians Gain In Canned Goods

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13 (AP)—Civilian supplies of eight canned fruits and vegetables from the 1943 pack will be about 8,500,000 cases, larger than previously estimated, the War Food Administration announced Aug. 12, due to reduced requirements of the armed forces, Lend-Lease and other war programs.

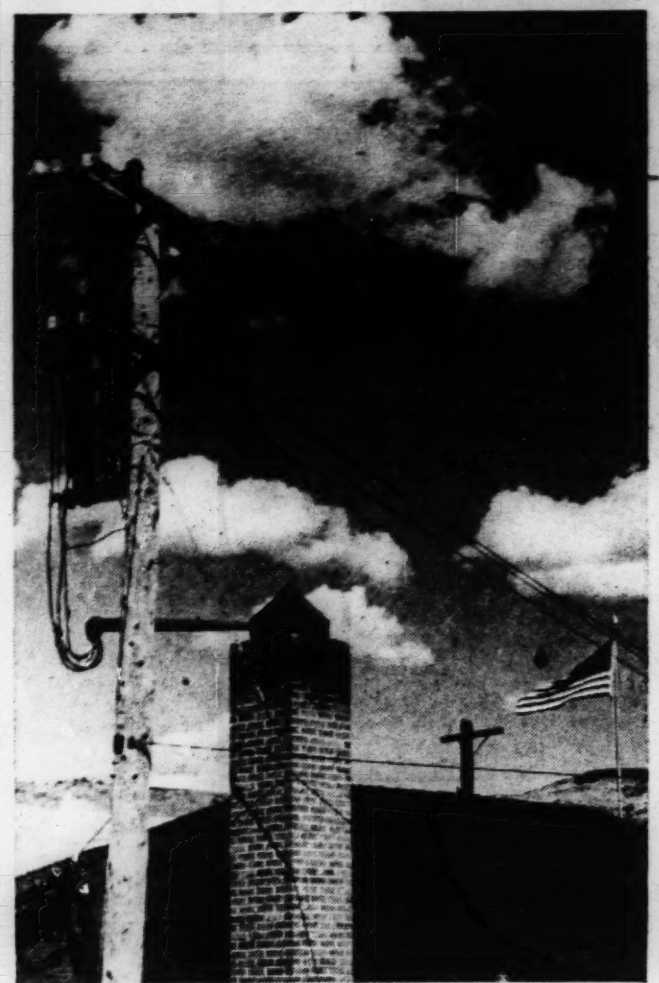
Increases were estimated as follows (in thousands): Apples from 1,600 to 2,000 cases; apricots from 2,700 to 3,300; fruit cocktail from 4,800 to 5,800; beans from 6,100 to 7,000; lima beans from 2,000 to 2,400 cases; sweet corn from 29,900 to 32,500; Pumpkin and squash from 2,020 to 2,220; and tomato puree from 4,600 to 5,000.

Processors are required to set aside certain specified percentages of their output of these and other canned fruits and vegetables for Government purchase. The percentages will be reduced in the case of the eight products.

Changes in Government requirements will have no immediate effect, WFA said, on current ration point values of these canned goods since point values are determined primarily on the basis of present, not prospective, supplies.

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'Heat' Goes Down This Chimney



U. S. Bureau of Reclamation, Department of Interior

Electricity Replaces Fuel Oil

At Coulee Dam, the town near the famous Coulee Dam where the engineers of the Bureau of Reclamation lived while the dam was being constructed, householders are using electricity instead of oil to heat homes. Conduits for protection of the electric wires are run down the chimney of the houses.

United Nations Agency Urged To Develop Program for Peace

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Pleas for organization now of a United Nations Agency to develop a program for the administration of conquered territories, reconstruction and permanent organization of peace featured addresses by Clark M. Eichelberger, Director of the Commission to Study the Organization of Peace, and Representative Joseph Clark Baldwin (R) of New York, over the air waves here last night.

Mr. Eichelberger, speaking over the Columbia Broadcasting System, declared there would be no time to hold a "full-dress peace conference" when the Axis had surrendered unconditionally, "since the problems of economic and social reconstruction, of feeding and rehabilitation and of electing local officials will be too complex and pressing to be worked out at a single peace conference following the war."

"The world will not wait," he declared.

Mr. Baldwin, speaking on "Should Congress vote now to join in world collaboration" at America's Town Meeting of the Air at the Columbia University, declared that Congress must come out now, "not just to support, but to demand, and if necessary, itself to create world union, for peace and progress."

The form of the resolution was immaterial to him, he added.

Opposing Views

Representative Clare E. Hoffman (R) of Michigan, favored collaboration in the war effort—"to work jointly with those nations which are at war with either Germany or Japan"—but was against the United States subscribing to act with other nations "in a program of world reformation, of re-making the world along financial, educational, industrial, governmental lines."

Now is the time for the Allies to declare to the world that in the future there will be the law, a court to administer the law and a police force to enforce it, Mr. Eichelberger declared.

"If victory should come without this declaration, the opportunity might be lost in the reaction to follow," he warned. "Only the creation of the United Nations organization now can assure us and warn our enemies, quick to take advantage of every division, that we mean to rebuild the world in the name of the United Nations."

Mr. Eichelberger said the proposed United Nations organization should undertake three major tasks: (1) planning the strategy of the peace settlements, (2) shaping the security of the future to prevent a third world war, and (3) holding a series of conferences out of which would grow the various technical bodies in the economic and social field.

Obviating Rivalry

"The United Nations should be organized as a continuous peace conference to prepare as many as possible of the peace settlements now, and, where final settlements cannot be planned, at least the strategy for meeting them," he added.

To obviate rivalry among the United Nations in the postwar era over ownership and operation of naval and air bases now being used to defeat the enemy, the proposed organization should "determine upon permanent joint occupancy of certain strategic bases to assist in the maintenance of future security of all nations," he held.

"Each day that goes by without the organization of the United Nations to plan the future security of the world is a day which enhances the danger of losing the peace and increases the chances of the German's preparing for another war as they did the last time," he cautioned.

Representative Baldwin declared that should Congress act now to throw its support to world government "an impetus would be given to our conduct of the war which would be ultimately and successfully reflected in our conduct of the peace."

"I have constantly and consistently advocated our organizing the United Nations on a permanent basis," he continued. "To do less would be to betray my own deep American convictions for which my family have fought in every war in which this country has engaged, including the present one. And on a more personal basis, to do less would be to betray those gallant comrades of the last war whose sacrifice will have been in vain if we do not achieve in the coming peace the permanent world progress for which they fought and died."

Beginning of End for Japan

The President said that the United States will fight with ever-increasing strength and vigor until Japanese independence is achieved.

"Already," he declared, "Japan is tasting defeat in the islands of the Southwest Pacific but that is only the beginning."

"I call upon you, the heroic people of the Philippines, to stand firm in your faith—to stand firm against the false promises of the Japanese, just as our fighting men and our fighting men stood firm together against their barbaric attacks."

"The great day of your liberation will come, as surely as there is a God in heaven."

"The United States and the Philippines have learned the principles of co-operation, of mutual respect, in peace and in war."

"For those principles we have fought—and by those principles we shall live."

Filipinos Hear Freedom Near From the President's Own Lips

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Council, where the War in the Pacific is charted and planned. Your Government has participated fully and equally in the United Nations Conference on Food and Agriculture, and a Philippine representative is a member of the Interim Commission created by that conference, and, of course, the Philippine Government will have its rightful place in the conference which will follow the defeat of Japan.

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Are Full Participants

"The Philippine Government is a signatory of the declaration by the United Nations, along with 31 other nations. President Quezon and Vice-President Osmeña attend the meetings of the Pacific War

Army Reporter Back From Africa Finds Life in New York Too Quiet

NEW YORK, Aug. 13 (AP)—"It's too quiet," was the way Technical Sergeant John M. Willis summed up today his reaction to New York life in his first dispatch as special correspondent of the North African U. S. Army newspaper, Stars and Stripes.

Sergeant Willis, sent back from Algiers to report on civilian news, said in his dispatch that the absence of the fast-moving pace of Army life gave him a "kind of lost, unreal feeling as though you didn't belong here any more."

Sergeant Willis said he would report the civilian news from the point of view of a soldier who has been overseas and knows "what the boys over there want to read." They want their news straight, he said, with no opinion injected and

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is by "playing aloof." The more aloof Mr. Stalin is, the more concessions he may be able to extract, not only with respect to a second front, but in matters concerned with Polish and Czechoslovak governments in exile and other problems where Moscow is taking a different line than are London and Washington.

That Washington has a clear record in its dealings with Moscow is indicated by the fact that the Soviet Government knows the nature and content of the forthcoming conference between the Allied leaders. Moscow has been kept faithfully informed of the progress of Roosevelt-Churchill deliberations at Casablanca and at Washington, and it will be the same at Quebec, it is affirmed here.

Fundamentally the Tass statement is not regarded as indicative of any new rift in Soviet-American relations. It clears up a misunderstanding existing in some British and American circles and it comes just after Mr. Stalin has conferred with both the American and British Ambassadors to Moscow, and at a moment when journeys of foreign ministers, roving ambassadors or "high emissaries" between Moscow and London and Moscow and Washington are believed forthcoming.

Thus, it is reported that Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, may soon visit Moscow, possibly accompanied by an American envoy of high rank. London reports meanwhile say that a Russian emissary empowered to negotiate on matters of "vital importance" to the war and the postwar is expected in London next month.

Meanwhile Axis radio propaganda for foreign consumption seized upon the absence of Mr. Stalin at Quebec as a "great disappointment" and stressed the well-worn line that there is a schism between Russia and the western Allies over the lack of a "real second front."

It is not denied in diplomatic quarters that Russia is disappointed over the failure of the Anglo-American forces to land in France or elsewhere in Western Europe. In fact it is stressed that every effort must be made to reach an understanding with Moscow not only concerning future military campaigns, but also with respect to the permitted power of postwar Germany, the re-establishment of Poland, the fate of the Baltic States, and the boundaries of Eastern and Central Europe.

No Role for Russia

LONDON, Aug. 13 (AP)—Moscow announced officially today that Soviet participation "was not and is not envisaged" in the forthcoming Roosevelt-Churchill conference at Quebec, and first London reaction was that the talks would deal primarily with the war on Japan.

In a broadcast recorded here by the Soviet monitor, the official Soviet news agency Tass said it had been authorized to state that foreign reports Russian would attend the conference "are based on a misunderstanding."

"The Soviet Government," the statement said, "did not receive an invitation to be present at the meeting, and because of the nature of the conference the participation of any one representative of the Soviet Government at the meeting in Quebec was not and is not envisaged."

Some London quarters thought the reference to the "nature" of the conference significant.

Since Russia is not at war with Japan, it is not likely that the Soviet would be invited to any conference concerned chiefly with fighting the Pacific.

The wording of the Moscow announcement made it seem clear, however, that Premier Stalin had been given details of the conference. In this connection, it was recalled that the American and British Ambassadors conferred with Mr. Stalin this week.

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They made the announcement after a joint statement from Labor Minister Humphrey Mitchell and Munitions Minister Clarence D. Howe had been read. The question of cost-of-living bonus adjustments for employees and to receive a formal application from the workers for such a review after the men have returned to their jobs. The Board will consider whether the men are legally entitled to some adjustment of cost-of-living bonuses paid prior to March 23.

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Teaching by Symbols

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

THE BIBLE abounds in figures of speech, and these serve to lift human thought above materiality to the contemplation of more spiritual concepts. The author of the one hundred and twenty-fifth Psalm evidently glimpsed a fundamental truth, namely, the love of God forever encircling the spiritual universe and man. To make this clear to the people, the Psalmist pointed to the familiar hills surrounding their native city (125:2), saying, "As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth even for ever."

A city nestled among the mountains is sheltered from the cold blasts of winter, and in the excessive heat of summer the same mountains afford shade and refreshment. Great mountains suggest the thought of strength, permanency, and peace. This beautiful simile, therefore, must ever speak to the human mind of God's loving care and protection, and also of the unchanging nature of Deity as typified by the "everlasting hills."

Jesus, the greatest of all teachers, possessed in full measure the understanding of spiritual facts. Seeking to bring to the knowledge of his followers something of the understanding of reality, and in a careful consideration for their spiritual culture, Jesus presented his lessons by means of parables and symbols.

He chose his subjects from the familiar things of everyday life. The humble sparrow served to show God's loving oversight and care for all His creatures, and the great Teacher assured his listeners, for their encouragement, that they were of more value to the Father than many sparrows. To free them from the weariness of toil and worry he pointed to the lilies of the field, clothed in beauty, although they neither toil nor spin. Thus he brought home the forever fact that He who fittingly clothes as well as feeds the simple creatures of field and forest will surely care for man, His highest ideal.

In such familiar similes Jesus taught the great lesson that the kingdom of heaven is at hand, an ever-present fact, here and now within spiritual consciousness. He went further, and by healing the sick and sinful and feeding the hungry, proved the truth of his teaching. Christ Jesus was ever conscious of the omnipresence of God, Spirit, and of man's oneness with the Father. "I am not alone," he asserted (John 8:16), "but I and the Father that sent me."

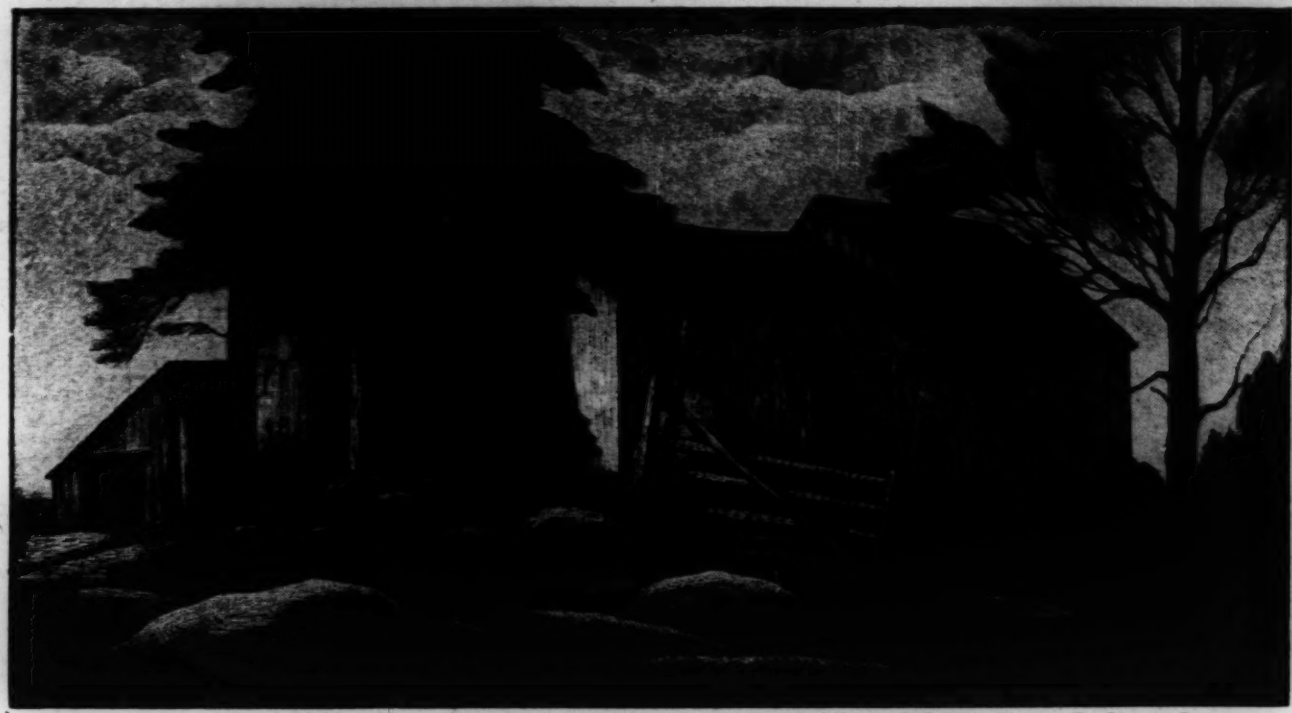
Mary Baker Eddy, the beloved Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science and author of its textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," seemed to have lived

the things of Spirit. As a flower turns naturally to the sun, so this gifted child turned instinctively to God for inspiration and help. There are recorded in her biography remarkable cases of the healing of physical disease performed by her in her young womanhood, which without doubt resulted from her intuitive knowledge of Truth, together with her deep compassion for suffering humanity.

Years later, in a time of great need, the Christ, the impersonal truth of being, flooded her consciousness and lifted her from a bed of sickness. Then followed her discovery, which revealed the Principle underlying the mighty works of the Master. Having demonstrated the divine origin of her discovery by healing sin and sickness even as Jesus had done, she freely gave to the world the rules for the application of the truth to human need.

In expounding her doctrine, Mrs. Eddy has frequently made use of well-known material symbols. The movements of the solar system, the sun reflected in its rays, light as opposed to darkness, all elucidate her meaning, enabling human thought to grasp something of the great metaphysical facts regarding the spiritual universe and man. She never confuses the symbol with the spiritual fact, however. Like the Way-shower, she stands squarely on the platform of the spiritual reality of all things here and now.

More than this, she has rendered a great service to mankind by showing the true relation of the so-called material object to the spiritual fact. "The fading forms of matter, the mortal body and material earth, are the fleeting concepts of the human mind," she tells us in *Science and Health* (p. 263). In other words, the object cognized by the material senses is not in itself an entity, but merely an imperfect, incomplete belief about something which exists in its perfection as an idea of divine Mind. The discerning Paul writes (II Corinthians 4:18), "The things which are seen



"GOSHEN HILL FARM": A Wood Engraving by Thomas W. Nason

are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal."

Purification of the human consciousness enhances the beauty of the material universe, hinting the perfect beauty of the divine creation. Speaking of her own experience, Mrs. Eddy writes in "Miscellaneous Writings" (p. 86), "Earth is more spiritually beautiful to my gaze now than when it was more earthly to the eye of Eve." And on the following page of this same work she admonishes: "In our immature sense of spiritual things, let us say of the beauties of the sensuous universe: 'I love your promise; and shall know, some time, the spiritual reality and substance of form, light, and color, of what I now through you discern dimly; and knowing this, I shall be satisfied.'"

(In another column will be found a translation of this article into Italian.)

L'Insegnamento coi Simboli

Traduzione dell'articolo sulla Scienza Cristiana pubblicato in inglese su questa pagina.

LA BIBBIA abbonda di figure retoriche, e queste servono ad innalzare il pensiero umano al di sopra della materialità a concetti più spirituali. L'autore del cento-venticinquantesimo Salmo scorse evidentemente una verità fondamentale, cioè l'amore di Dio che abbraccia sempre l'universo spirituale e l'uomo. Per rendere questo chiaro alla gente, il Salmo indicò le note montagne che circondavano la loro città natia (125:2), dicendo: "Gerusalemme è circondata dai monti; e così l'Eterno circonda il suo popolo, da ora in poi". Una città annidata fra le montagne è protetta dai gelidi soffi dell'inverno, e nel calore eccessivo dell'estate le stesse montagne provvedono ombra e refrigerio. Le grandi montagne suggeriscono l'idea di forza, permanenza e pace. Questa bellissima immagine, dunque, inevitabilmente parla in perpetuo alla mente umana dell'amorevole sollecitudine e protezione di Dio, ed inoltre dell'immutabile natura della Divinità simboleggiata dalle "colline eterne".

Gesù, il più grande di tutti i maestri, possedeva in piena misura il comprendimento dei fatti spirituali. Cercando di render nota ai suoi seguaci una parte del suo comprendimento della realtà, e per la sua misericordiosa considerazione della loro ottusità spirituale, Gesù presentò le sue lezioni per mezzo di parabole e di simboli.

Egli scelse i suoi soggetti fra le cose familiari della vita quotidiana. L'umile passerotto servì a mostrare l'attenzione e sollecitudine amorevole di Dio per tutte le Sue creature, ed il grande Maestro assicurò i suoi ascoltatori, per il loro incoraggiamento, che essi erano di maggior valore per il Padre che molti passerotti. Per liberarli dalla spassatezza della fatica e dell'ansia egli indicò i gigli dei campi, vestiti di bellezza benché non lavorano né filano. Così fece capire l'eterno fatto che Colui che appropriatamente veste come pure nutre le semplici creature dei campi e delle foreste, avrà certamente cura dell'uomo, il Suo sommo ideale.

Con tali immagini familiari Gesù insegnò la grande lezione che il regno dei cieli è qui, un fatto sempre presente, qui ed ora entro la coscienza spirituale. Egli andò più avanti, e col sanare gli infermi ed i peccatori, e col nutrire gli affamati, dimostrò la verità del suo insegnamento. Cristo Gesù era sempre conscio dell'onnipresenza di Dio, Spirito, e dell'unione dell'uomo col Padre. "Non sono solo", egli asserì (Giovanni 8:16), "ma sono io col Padre che mi ha mandato".

Mary Baker Eddy, l'amata Scopritrice e Fondatrice della Scienza Cristiana e l'autrice del suo libro di testo, *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures*, di buon ora nella sua vita sembra abbia amato le cose dello Spirito. Come un fiore si volge naturalmente verso il sole, così questa bambina di talento si volse istintivamente a Dio per ispirazione ed aiuto. Nella sua biografia sono riportati casi notevoli di guarigione da malattie fisiche compiuti da essa in giovane età, che indubbiamente risultarono dalla sua conoscenza intuitiva della Verità, insieme alla sua profonda compassione per l'umanità sofferente.

Anni dopo, in un tempo di grave bisogno, il Cristo, la verità impersonale dell'essere, colmò la sua coscienza e la fece alzare da un letto di malattia. Allora seguì la sua scoperta, che rivelò il Principio sottostante alle opere potenti del Maestro. Avendo dimostrato la divina origine della sua scoperta col giurare il peccato e la malattia appunto come aveva fatto Gesù, essa diede liberamente al mondo le regole per l'applicazione della verità al bisogno umano.

Nell'esporre la sua dottrina, Mrs. Eddy ha spesso usato noti simboli materiali. I movimenti del sistema solare, il sole riflesso nei

suo i raggi, la luce opposta all'oscurità, chiariscono tutti il suo significato, rendendo il pensiero umano capace di afferrare una parte dei grandi fatti metafisici relativi all'universo spirituale ed all'uomo. Essa, però, non confonde mai il simbolo col fatto spirituale. Come la Guida, essa sta in piedi fermamente sulla piattaforma della realtà spirituale di tutte le cose qui ed ora.

Oltre a questo, essa ha reso un grande servizio all'umanità col mostrare la vera relazione del cosiddetto oggetto materiale col fatto spirituale. "Le forme evanescenti della materia, il corpo mortale e la terra materiale, sono i concetti fugaci della mente umana", essa ci dice in *Science and Health* (pag. 263). In altre parole, l'oggetto conosciuto dai sensi materiali non è un'entità di per sé stessa, ma soltanto una credenza imperfetta, incompleta, a proposito di qualche cosa che esiste nella sua perfezione come un'idea della Mente divina. Il discernente Paolo scrive (II Corinzi 4:18): "Le cose che si vedono sono solo per un tempo, ma quelle che non si vedono sono eterne".

La purificazione dell'umana coscienza aumenta la bellezza dell'universo materiale, palesando la bellezza perfetta della creazione divina. Parlando della propria esperienza, Mrs. Eddy scrive in *Miscellaneous Writings* (pag. 86): "La terra è più spiritualmente bella al mio sguardo ora che quando era più terrestre per gli occhi di Eva". E sulla pagina seguente di questa stessa opera essa ammonisce: "Nel nostro senso immaturo delle cose spirituali, dobbiamo dire delle bellezze dell'universo sensibile: 'Io amo la vostra promessa; io la conosco, a suo tempo, la realtà e sostanza spirituale della forma, della luce e del colore di ciò che ora per mezzo vostro scorgo indistintamente; e sapendo questo, io sarò soddisfatta'".

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The Pilgrims Were "Waiting Men"

We are humble men.
We English, living in peace in red-tiled Leyden,
In the quiet city that Alva could not take,
Printers, stocking-weavers and fustian-makers,
We are humble men.

We are quiet men.
Our presence does not jangle the life of the city.
They stared a little, at first, but they have ceased staring.
We are used to its ways now, we try to be good neighbors.
We are quiet men.

All that we ask is quiet and God's guidance.
For that we left our England, wrenching our roots up.
The thick taproots, the slow roots of hind and yeoman,
For that we left brisk, quarrelling Amsterdam,
Seeking our own way.

And the days come and go and the bells of Bell Alley
Ring, the exile's bells of the foreign city.
But our day is God's, not one city's or another's.
Our strength is in God and God is our great He will not fail us.

And yet, with each day, we know ourselves exiled
And our children are young but grow. Will they grow God's children?

Already the foreign tongue is so easy for them,
And we live in the country but we are not of the country.
We are strangers, still.

It is easy to melt and mix, to sink down, grow sleepy,
To be recalled, "Yes, my grandmother was English."
They came for their faith, I think—I have heard her stories,
But she was old and I do not quite remember."

It is easy to fall from God.
Each day we heave a stone, each day more difficult,
Each day we live in peace but a peace that trembles,
Each Sabbath we meet in Zion, and yet our Zion
Is a green field granted by others, may be removed
And is not steady.

We are quiet men.
But God has tried us and stricken us and recovered us.
He has shown us grace and terror and things inescapable
And the long years are forging us iron heart-strings.
We shall answer His will like iron when He proclaims it.
We are waiting men.

—STEPHEN VINCENT BENÉT, in "Western Star," (New York: Farrar & Rinehart.)

Country Bread

FOR MONTHS, we hadn't had anything in the way of bread but biscuits and corn pone and hoeecake; until, one noon, Father came back from the valley with a lovely brown loaf fresh from the oven.

"Now," he told us, "you are going to find out what it can be like. I used to have this kind of bread when I was a boy."
Mother had never made any bread in her life and Nancy belonged to the soda-biscuit persuasion which argues that what is the perfect accompaniment to chicken must be good enough for every other occasion. They'd had bread, home-baked bread, of course, but they thought little of it. Sally Luns were better, and all the long list of hot cakes and muffins and biscuits, freshly baked for each meal, which were part of the repertoire of every southern cook. Besides, there was no yeast to be had on our mountain.

"But this is salt-rising bread," Father explained. "Can't you see? You don't need yeast for this. You make it with salt and white cornmeal, and it's wonderful."

Well, any yeast is wonderful. Anything that causes that fragrant, prodigious expansion of ordinary flour and milk, so that when the loaves come out singing, golden-brown from the oven, you seem to get so much more than you expected, so much more than you deserve. If this could be accomplished here in our own kitchen, we wanted to know it. Binky brought the butter, wrapped in cool vine leaves just as it had lain in the spring, and Father cut us each a slice.

They baked it twice a week at the farm below us, he said. And he'd always known how it was made, only he hadn't been quite sure about how long you let the cornmeal "work" before you added the flour and set it behind the stove to rise. He'd never heard who had made the discovery in the first place that one could get a kind of yeast by doing that, but every housewife in the mountains could make salt-rising bread. It was a luxury to many of them, because wheat flour was dear and hard to come by. In his youth, dwellers in small, remote cabins rarely saw it from one year's end to the next. But sometimes a man would pack a bag or even a barrel over the creeks and rutted trails for a present to his wife or mother or sweetheart. Then there was feasting.

I can still remember my first taste of it. I remember Nancy's biscuits, too, but they were not bread. They were bits of fluff, little round, evanescent, deceptive morsels of temptation, but not bread. This was. When you bit into a firm thick slice of it, you understood the symbolism of those words in the prayer: "Give us this day—". It was that solid, earthly fragrant food of which men could eat and ask nothing more.

We hadn't yet traveled abroad, and so we did not know that this was so always where food is not plentiful and bread must be the actual staff and sustenance of whole countries. But afterwards we made the discovery of that kind, too, the Scandinavian and German country bread, the heavy dark Russian and Greek loaves, the fibrous malt "pane" that the Italian olive-grower tears from the round and eats without butter or spread of any kind. Actually, it needed nothing else.

But, in France and in Austria, it seemed to us that bread was not meant to be taken seriously; though, without it, a meal would lack the right proportion. Bread was a sop. It filled in the chinks. It contributed to the easy, pleasant talk that belonged to the table. Even at Raginieu's pastry shop, bread couldn't have been the essential product, but it must have written the envoi to many a poem. Do French children hang about the kitchen door on baking days to beg for a heel of new bread? I don't know; but if they don't, they miss some of the poetry that belongs to them.

It was the poetry of our country loaves that captured us all, I think. The taste of that happy blend of wheat and salt, the sense of its substance, lingered long on our palates, like a rhythmic line once heard and never quite forgotten. And not of pastoral poetry only. "Who never ate his bread with tears—" "A crust of bread and liberty." "Bread of the World," all began to have a new meaning.

We were young then. All that we felt and heard and absorbed shaped our thoughts as well as our bodies. We ate and were replenished by more than bread.

And I believe that it can still be so. Even with loaves bought in some vast supermarket and delivered already sliced to the hand. For this, too, is bread that may be broken with strangers and shared with the hungry, our own wheat and salt given freely, because it is not good to eat alone.

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Why Russians Want a Second Front

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
MOSCOW, Aug. 12.—Widespread discussion has been evoked by the renewal of Russia's plea for the opening of a second front.

During the past week the interest has been focused by an article in Pravda, the official voice of the Communist Party. It virtually charged Britain and the United States with failure to fulfill their commitments regarding the second front.

The text of the Pravda editorial follows:

Never since the war began have conditions been so favorable for victory over Hitlerite Germany as they are today.

But the possibility of victory isn't identical with victory itself. It must be particularly borne in mind that there is no stronger and no more perilous enemy than Hitlerite Germany.

Seizure of Opportunities
The history of wars has examples when opportunities were allowed to slip. Opportunities once missed, victories receded. Wars were drawn out and peoples suffered countless additional sacrifices.

Today millions of persons throughout the world are with great concern raising the question whether everything is being done for the timely use of the possibility of victory over Fascist Germany. And here, the question of a second front in Europe arises in all its magnitude.

Much has been written on the question of a second front. Yet actually the question is quite clear. The brigandage attack by Hitler on neighboring European countries and then on the Soviet Union brought into being the Anglo-American-Soviet coalition.

The coalition was established for joint armed struggle over the common enemy. The anti-Hitlerite coalition was formed for an armed struggle against Fascist Germany and its accomplices, for their defeat and the safeguarding of a lasting and just peace. The participants in the anti-Hitlerite coalition—Soviet Union, Britain, and the United States—understood, a mutual obligation, namely to wage a joint war on a common enemy.

A Strong Enemy
From the very beginning it was clear that the enemy was strong and dangerous. It was clear that the struggle against such an enemy would require the mobilization and exertion of all forces of the coalition in such coalition. Consequently, we had a right to expect the members of the coalition to wage the war on the enemy in this force.

What are the ways in which the common struggle of the anti-Hitlerite coalition can be waged? The ways don't have to be found, they are pre-determined by the whole geographical and military and strategic position of Germany, by the whole historic trend of the struggle against German aggression.

The task is to grip Hitlerite Germany in iron pincers from two sides, from the west and from the east, to force the Germans to wage war on two fronts, dividing their forces and reserves between the two fronts.

For a long time German imperialism has avoided war on two fronts.

Temporary Successes
For over two years now the Soviet Union has been shouldering alone the full brunt of the struggle against the main forces of Hitler's war machine. It is precisely the absence of a second front in Europe which has made it possible for the Germans to win temporary successes in the first stage of the Soviet-German war.

In the summer and autumn of 1941 Hitler was able to send all his own troops and those of his allies against the U. S. S. R., to maintain a starvation blockade of Leningrad, to put Moscow in jeopardy, to reach Rostov, for no hostile forces menaced their rear from the west.

It was the absence of a second front in Europe which saved Fascist Germany from defeat in 1942. More than this, the absence of a second front in the summer of 1942 enabled Hitler to move all his reserves to the Soviet-German front, to build up a big superiority of forces in the southwest and to reach Stalingrad and the approaches to Grozny.

Finally this year again the Ger-

Pravda's View

The widespread interest in Moscow's renewal of a demand for a second front on the European continent justifies attention to the particular manner in which the Russian case is expressed.

The discussion has been based upon brief excerpts of the Pravda editorial, cabled during the past week. The text provides an interesting summary of the current Russian arguments.

mans were able to venture a fresh summer offensive. . . . Yet in June, 1942, it was declared that complete agreement had been reached concerning the immediate task of setting up a second front in Europe in the year 1942, as stated in two official communiques concerning negotiations conducted by Comrade Molotov (the Soviet Foreign Minister) with the heads of the American and British Governments in London and Washington. Nevertheless no second front was opened in 1942.

Already then it was made clear, however, that in the spring of 1943 at any rate the second front in Western Europe would be opened and that our British and American allies would see to it that it was opened.

Yet the spring passed and the second front in Europe wasn't opened. Anglo-American troops restricted themselves to various operations to clear the German and Italian forces out of Africa. In January, 1943, Mr. Churchill and President Roosevelt met in Casablanca. . . . Reporting in February, 1943, on decisions arrived at at Casablanca, Mr. Churchill stated that the Allies had an exhaustive plan of operations and that they intended to put this plan into effect in the course of the next nine months. . . .

Still Doesn't Exist
However the nine months are nearing their end and the second front in Europe still doesn't exist. Recently the third session of the Anglo-Soviet Trade Union Committee took place at Moscow at which the opening of the second front in Europe this year was also discussed.

Position being such as we have outlined, however, what could the Anglo-Soviet Trade Union Committee say on this question?

The Soviet people is waging what is virtually a single-headed struggle against the whole monstrous war machine of Hitler and his brigandage accomplices in Europe, has made the greatest sacrifices for the common cause of the Allies. The Soviet Union has withstood and still is withstanding the frenzied onslaught of German Fascist hordes. But on the Soviet-German front many more German officers and men have been put out of commission or killed than all other forces together where the struggle has been waged and still is being waged against Hitler.

On the Soviet-German front picked divisions of the German Fascist armies, the flower of Hitlerite troops have been wiped out. Soviet troops have thoroughly battered the Hitlerite war machine which met no defeats in Western Europe. The blows of the Red Army have once and for all time dispelled the myth of the invincibility of the Hitlerite Army, of the superiority of the much vaunted German strategy and tactics, and German weapons of war.

Comparison of Conditions
We consider it incorrect to underestimate the importance of the military operations being carried out by our Allies, the great importance of numerous bombings of Germany by Anglo-American aircraft, and also the importance of the aid which the Allies afford us in war material and supplies.

But nevertheless the fact remains that on the Libyan front the Allies were confronted by only four German divisions and some ten Italian; and in Sicily by only two divisions of German troops and a few Italians.

These figures are sufficient to indicate the actual scale of these operations as compared with those on the Soviet-German front, where in the summer of 1942 Hitler had 180 German divisions and about 60 divisions supplied by his allies.

This year 200 German divisions and about 30 divisions of Hitler's

allies are concentrated on the Soviet-German front.

All these figures point to the fact that the troops of our British-American Allies haven't yet really come to grips with the troops of Hitlerite Germany, that a second front has not yet been established.

But what in point of fact is the second front?

There is actually no need to enter into arguments with people who pretend not to understand what is implied in this term and who talk a lot about there already existing not only a second front but even a third, and who even go to the length of talking about a fourth, fifth, and sixth front, including a submarine front, air front and so on.

The British and American press have also aired utterances to the effect that Allied air raids on German towns have practically taken the place of a second front.

By a second front in Europe, if considered in earnest, is meant a front as Comrade Stalin pointed out in the autumn of 1942 which draws on itself, let us say, 60 German divisions and about a score of divisions of Germany's allies.

When we talk about a second front we must remember that it is a question of joint military operations of our Allies on the European continent as would force Hitlerite Germany to divide his available forces and move to the western front one third or at any rate one fourth of his land troops.

Hence it follows that the creation of a second front in Europe would radically change the situation and would immediately ensure the big superiority of our forces over the Hitlerite Army on the Soviet-German front. This would also mean that the opening of a second front would conclusively shorten the war and that a second front would be the key to victory over Hitler in 1943.

Excuses for Delay
After this, what is to be said for those who call the demand for a second front and the profound sympathy for it apparent among the masses of the people of the Allied countries, nothing more than a striving for a cheap effect?

We know that there exist many excuses to justify postponement and protraction of the opening of the second front in Europe. What else are the arguments about the mythical Atlantic wall, about the allegedly insoluble problem of tonnage, about the risk of invasion?

Meanwhile, we know that the invincible Atlantic wall only exists in the imagination of those who want to believe these fabrications and nowhere else. The much-loved argument about the shortage of tonnage long ago lost any appearance of conviction and repeatedly has been smashed by figures published on the huge growth of shipbuilding in Allied countries, particularly in the United States.

After the successful and very large landing of Allied troops and equipment in North Africa last year and after the brilliant successes of land operations in Sicily a reference to tonnage difficulties in carrying out landings in western Europe should have been relinquished.

For a long time past all reference to tonnage has been merely in the nature of an excuse. As to references concerning the risks of invasion, which have been repeated for more years than one, in 1943 one cannot advance such arguments to an Army which for over two years has shouldered the full brunt of struggle against the Hitlerite war machine and which hasn't hesitated before any sacrifice in struggle against the common enemy.

Personal Interests Involved
Without doubt there are some public circles, though very few, who are not at all interested in a rapid termination of the war. But big state affairs obviously cannot be entrusted to such people, armament manufacturers, army caterers, whose first interests are not the wide masses of the people, people now groaning under the Hitlerite yoke in occupied countries, but their own personal interests.

Moreover it mustn't be forgotten that the brilliant successes of our Allies in the Mediterranean became possible primarily thanks to the two years of the heroic struggle of the Red Army against the main forces of the common enemy and thanks to the most self-sacrificing and mighty pressure recently launched by our Army along the whole Soviet-German front.

The question of a second front in Europe is of such great importance precisely because the question is whether or not the war will be allowed to drag out and more colossal sacrifices permitted depends on solution of this problem.

The opening of a second front in Europe in 1943 will mean that in the present favorable conditions the anti-Hitlerite coalition will be filled with a determination to end Hitlerite tyranny and a war imposed by Hitler, that the Anglo-Soviet-American coalition will not permit the war to drag on, will not allow further colossal sacrifices. In this it will have the support of tremendous forces of people filled with an unswerving determination to finish now with the accursed Hitler and extricate themselves from the Hitlerite-imposed war.



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Activity on Guadalcanal Weaves Pattern for Victory in Pacific
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Memories of Duce To Tinge Museum?
By the Associated Press
The Berlin Radio reported Aug. 12 that the official residence of Mussolini before his downfall—the Palazzo Venezia—is to become a public museum, but that its art objects which have been removed as a precaution against air raids, will not be restored until the war is over.

Recorded by the Associated Press, the broadcast of a Rome dispatch said that hitherto the Palazzo Venezia, "which contained many ancient and modern sculptures and paintings," was open only to a few with special permits.

Outpost Transformed To Jungle Metropolis

New construction and revolutionary improvements in Solomons stronghold mark transition—Well-oiled highways replace dusty and muddy roads—Network of transports ply airways in South Pacific.

By Gordon Walker

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GUADALCANAL, July 31. Delayed—New construction and revolutionary improvements in existing facilities have marked the transition of the "Canal" from the farthest-advanced American base to a way station now well at the rear.

Today there are several American-held strongholds nearer the Solomons fighting front than the onetime spearhead of the offensive against the Japanese.

Four months ago, a visitor adhered to the uniform of the day here if he wore heavy rubber boots, green coveralls suits, and a thin helmet.

Mud and dust were so thick that if you appeared begrimed from head to toe in the mess hall or at a conference with an Admiral there were no side glances.

There were plenty of roads, but they were undrained and it was a major operation to navigate one in a jeep.

Plethora of Spam
Mess cooks had become adept at preparing Spam in a dozen different ways—but it was still Spam—morning, noon, and night.

Now and then a rifle shot was heard, but no one paid any attention. Wrecked planes were scattered here and there, and there was constant demand upon SeaBee-operated bulldozers to haul trucks and jeeps out of mud holes.

That was four months ago. Along the shore, a massive semipermanent land, air, and sea base with modern conveniences has been carved out of the mud and dust.

Officers are not yet required to wear neckties, but an island command order requires head-gear. If one ventures out of quarters in anything but clean khakis, low shoes and insignia, he is an exception to the rule.

When the moon is high, one or two enemy bombers will risk the extensive batteries of searchlights and antiaircraft guns, but with indecisive results. A tin helmet is rapidly becoming superfluous.

It's Different Now
For dinner last night, this camp roared roast turkey, casserole potatoes cooked in applesauce, quick-frozen green peas and cranberry sauce, topped off with apple pie. Plentiful ice water was supplied from an electric refrigerator. The days of Spam have nearly disappeared, and gone, too, is most of the mud and dust.

Four-lane highways now course from one end of the base area to the other—still dirt-surfaced, but well-oiled and bordered with deep ditches to catch the heavy rains.

Elaborate road markers inform the driver that he is on "Highway 26," the "Shock Road," or "Johnson Highway." Halfway between Lunga Beach and Koli Point, a colored billboard places the boundary between "Lunga County" and "Koli County"—Courtesy Koli Chamber of Commerce!

At regular intervals speed limits are posted: "20 m. p. h. for trucks; 25 m. p. h. for jeeps" and a military police patrol the roads for offenders and mount traffic stands at heavy intersections.

No Shooting—Now!
On the scene of one of the heaviest battles last November, a white sign on a palm tree reads: "Positively no shooting." Half-cylindrical corrugated iron

Court for 'Truly Guilty' French

ALGIERS, Algeria, Aug. 13 (AP)—The French Committee of National Liberation set up yesterday a special commission to begin immediately an investigation of the cases of Frenchmen who collaborated with the Axis.

Not only public officials but private individuals such as lawyers, businessmen, newspapermen, and writers, suspected of having worked with the Germans and Italians prior to and after the Allied landings in North Africa, will come under scrutiny.

The members of the commission have not yet been announced. An explanatory communiqué said "the task of the commission is to invoke adequate sanctions against those elected persons, civil servants or public agents who, since June 16, 1940, have by their acts or general personal attitude, either favored the enterprises of the enemy, harmed the action of the United Nations and resisting Frenchmen, attacked constitutional institutions or fundamental public liberties or knowingly drew or sought to draw direct material benefit from the application of Vichy regulations."

The communiqué said the commission would act impartially and would seek only the "truly guilty," distinguishing between those who gave orders and those who merely executed them. It also indicated that a distinction would be made against men who "knowingly associated themselves with a policy surpassing their strict obligations."

Penalties for those convicted have not yet been established but will be fixed according to the penal code of the French Republic. In cases where treason is established, the capital sentence is reported possible.

Virtually all of the exiled governments in London have lists of their nationals who aided the Axis or have been collaborating with the occupying authorities.

Ambassador Backs Argentine Stand
WASHINGTON, Aug. 13 (AP)—Argentine Ambassador Felipe A. Espil has denounced press criticisms of Argentina, particularly an editorial in the Washington Post which called his country's policy "devious, disingenuous and double-faced."

Ambassador Espil said the "abusive and threatening language" of the editorial was not the best way to solve hemispheric problems.

"The formal maintenance of diplomatic relations with Axis nations is a natural consequence of Argentina's continued adherence to a policy of neutrality," he replied to the Post's charges that his country was playing "the Axis game."

Argentina's continued neutrality, the Ambassador declared in a statement, was not a breach of the Rio de Janeiro recommendations that republics of the Western Hemisphere break relations with the Axis. He said these recommendations did not constitute a pledge and that it was "unfair to accuse Argentina of having broken a solemn pledge."

"It is likewise too unfair to ignore the measures of continental collaboration that Argentina has taken, especially in the last two months," the statement continued.

Personal Justice in War Asked

GENEVA, Switzerland, Aug. 13 (AP)—The International Committee of the Red Cross has appealed to warring nations to respect the individual's claim to "justice and protection from arbitrary measures" and to renounce unwarranted destruction and "methods of warfare which are prohibited by international law."

Dated July 24 and released Aug. 7, the message said: "The International Committee of the Red Cross, confronted by horrors, distress and injustice resulting from war, has maintained as hitherto that it was their consistent duty to testify to their moral position and desire to serve by deeds rather than words. At the outbreak of war in 1939 and again on March 12 and May 12, 1940, the International

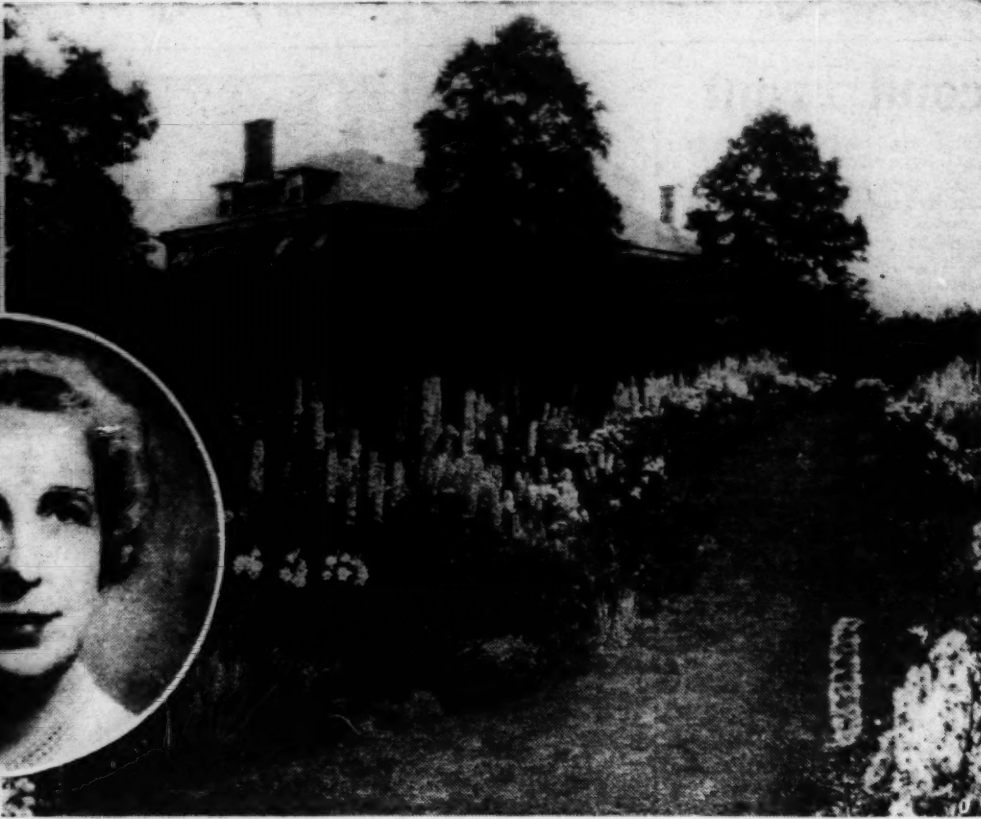
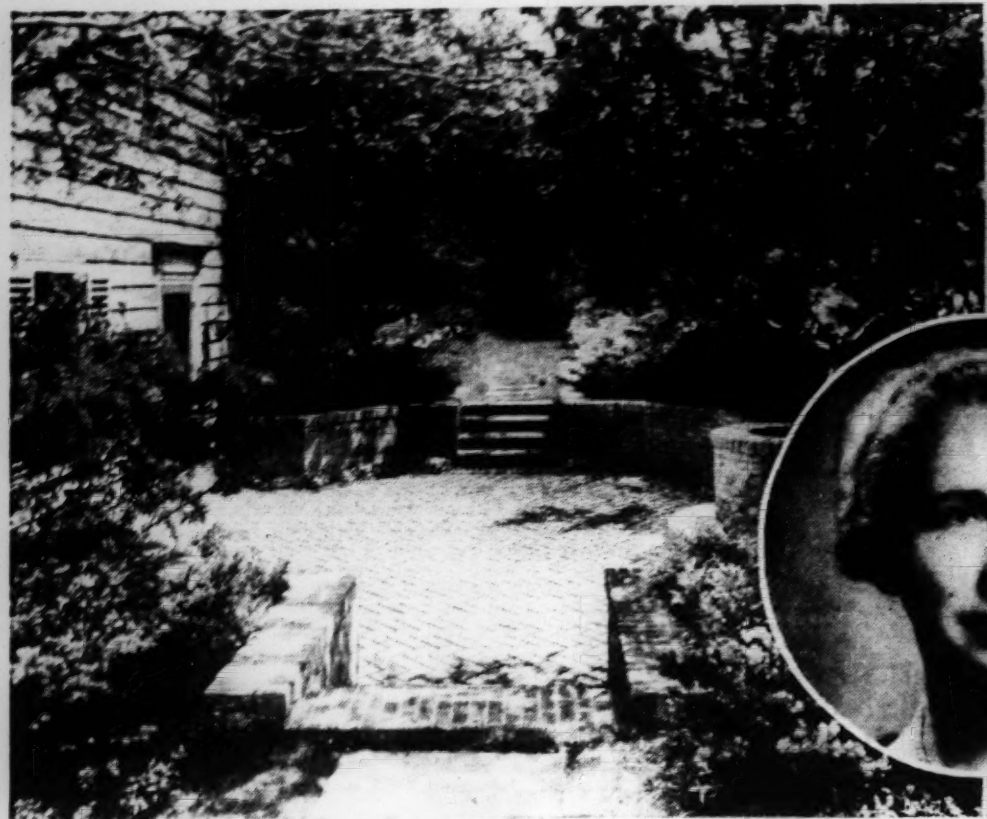
Committee of the Red Cross voiced in appeals and messages to the governments their traditional views on methods of warfare. The Committee reminds all belligerents today of the tenor of these documents.

"Once more the International Committee of the Red Cross, deeply disturbed by the violence of hostilities, urge the powers engaged in the conflict to safeguard amidst all military necessities the natural claim of the individual to justice and protection from arbitrary measures and to refrain from imputing to him responsibility for acts which were not committed by him as well as to renounce the unwarranted destruction and in particular the use of deleterious methods of warfare which are prohibited by international law."

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Early Attention to Your Heating System Can Forestall Winter Waste of Warmth

Responsibility for keeping warm this winter will rest on the individual home owner's ability to get the maximum heat out of his home heating plant. What he does to insure maximum warmth within the scope of one's fuel ration is discussed in a series of four articles, of which this is the first.

By W. Clifford Harvey
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How warm will your house be next winter?

It should be as warm as last winter, rationing boards are saying, provided there are no transportation breakdowns, no extraordinary demands for fuel from military services and no particularly cold weather.

But those are uncertain conditions upon which to rest the issue of whether or not you will be able to maintain last winter's 55 degrees at night and 65 degrees during the daytime. Hence, it is nice to know that with simple engineering foresight, it is possible to overcome your ration limitations by trapping the heat units you normally have wasted.

Keep Heat Inside
It comes as no genuine surprise to American families to hear the wartime rebuff that they are notoriously wasteful. When fuel was plentiful they tried without realizing it, perhaps, to heat the whole outdoors through leaks in their houses and in their heat production plants.

Unless yours is the perfectly sealed house with heating equipment in A-1 condition you may be wasting from 30 to 50 per cent of the production capacity of your heating system.

Hence the conclusion . . . by elimination of wasteful practices you may be able to heat your house almost if not fully as warm as in pre-war days, and still keep within your fuel quotas.

Tracing clues to disappearing heat units, a modern Sherlock Holmes would give the famous "elementary, my dear Watson," to such important "myst" as cleaning out the boiler, servicing the burner, and cleaning the oil tank and fuel lines now before the emergency period puts a strain upon servicing agencies.

Order Fuel Early
Modern sleuths on the "heat loss" trail are as methodical and as analytical as Sherlock Holmes at his best. There is no guesswork in the measuring of the efficiency of your automatic heating system. They can measure the draft, stack temperatures and products of combustion with instruments capable of putting your plant in first-class regulation. Again . . . do this now while the labor is available. And do it two or three times in a heating season.

"Fill your fuel tanks now" is not a slogan of fuel rationing boards. They know, and you will learn, that it is not easy to fill your tanks now. But they do say "get your orders in as soon as you receive your coupons," for you may have to wait two, three or four weeks for delivery.

Conversion of fuel oil burners to coal is no longer being urged, since there is no guarantee that coal will be more sufficient than oil this winter.

Looking in your heating plant you may find that adding a "baffle" to the combustion chamber will improve combustion by holding heat longer inside the boiler. A new kind of baffle hangs directly in the center of the fire chamber, and can be installed in a few minutes, and cheaply.

Adjust Burner
If you have been cut 20 per cent in your fuel supply by rationing, you might offset the entire loss by adding a modern type of "air mixer" or turboturbine to your heating system. Many of these mixers are old-fashioned. On the other hand, if the fuel nozzle is too large or too small, you are wasting heat.

Unburned fuel escapes when the ignition on your burner works late. You can tell by the elapsed time between the moment the electricity starts the burner purring, and the whirr that tells you the oil has started burning. Another thing, take a look in the fire box after the burner shuts off. If there's a lot of "frying" and smoke, you probably have a heat-wasting, oil-valve leak.

A good "don't" is not to change from one grade of oil to another without having the burner adjusted. Fuel savings will more than pay for the cost of adjusting.

Another point to remember, is that one eighth of an inch of soot

on the inside of the boiler is equal to 2 inches of solid concrete in preventing the heat from being absorbed into the heating plant. Air leaks around the fire door tend to cool off the boiler, letting heat into the basement. You can fix these leaks yourself with some asbestos cement.

Regulate Draft
If your boiler is undersized for the house, it eats more oil than is necessary. A draft regulator in the smoke pipe (stack) will stop a lot of heat units from wasting up the chimney.

Of course, all this is going to cost money. Yet the money expended for servicing, new equipment, and general adjustments is coming back to you in the form of better heating and lower heating costs. And if you cannot afford to lay out the cash for these investments, you can borrow the required funds through the Federal Housing Administration at a low rate of interest. Ask your bank about the liberal terms which allow for payments over a period of three years.

(Next article in this series, Friday, August 20, will show the new converted coal user how to get the most out of his unfamiliar heating system.)

Use Root Vegetables—They're Plentiful
of diced green pepper together. Delicious! And celery instead of green pepper is just as good.

Carrots make a wonderful meat stretcher. Combine equal parts of grated raw carrot and chopped lamb, or beef or hamburger. Make into cakes and fry, or use a carrot-meat mixture as the filling for a hearty biscuit roll.

Fried Carrots
Wash and scrape medium-sized carrots and cut lengthwise into thin slices. Slice apple rings with the skins on. Place carrots in frying pan with a little melted fat or bacon drippings, cover tightly and cook until almost tender. Add the apples, sprinkle with salt, brown or white sugar, and brown well. Or, fry carrots and sliced onions together.

Carrots or Turnips O'Brien
Cook turnips or carrots until tender. Chop, and season with salt and pepper. Add chopped green or sweet red pepper. Melt 2 tablespoons fat in a frying pan, and spread a thin, even layer of the vegetable in the pan. Heat over a low flame and serve hot.

Carrot Scallop
1 egg
1 cup milk
3 cups raw carrots, cut fine
1 tablespoon melted fat
Salt and pepper
Beat the eggs slightly. Add milk, carrots, fat and salt and pepper. Pour into a greased baking dish. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) until set. Serves 6.

Carrots With Cheese
3 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
3 tablespoons flour
1 1/2 cups milk
1/2 teaspoon salt
Dash of cayenne
4 cups grated cheese
3 1/2 cups cooked carrots
Blend butter and flour, add milk slowly and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Add seasonings and 1/2 cup cheese. Place carrots in a buttered baking dish, cover with sauce and sprinkle top with remaining cheese. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) 15 minutes. Serves 6 to 8.

BEETS
2 pounds cooked whole beets
3 tablespoons mint jelly
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
Combine jelly, butter and beets. Heat slowly, stirring occasionally until beets are glazed.

Beet Soup
Here's a quick way to make beet

chop something like Russian borsch, but using leftovers: Chop cooked beets very fine, and add to beef broth, along with chopped cooked onion, carrot or cabbage. Season with dried or fresh herbs and serve very hot, with sour cream, if desired.

Beets in Orange Sauce
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
2 tablespoons flour
3/4 cup water
1 1/2 teaspoons grated orange rind
3/4 cup orange juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
2 teaspoons sugar
3/2 cups cooked beets, sliced
Melt butter, stir in flour and add water slowly. Add orange rind, orange juice, salt, pepper and sugar. Cook until smooth and thickened, stirring constantly. Add beets and heat. Serves 8.

PARSNIPS
Parsnip Fritters
2 eggs
2 cups mashed parsnips
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
3/4 cup milk
3 tablespoons flour
Fat
Beat eggs until very light, add parsnips and beat well. Stir in salt, butter, milk and flour. Drop by spoonfuls into a small amount of fat, turning to brown both sides. Garnish with parsley. Serves 6 to 8.

Scalloped Parsnips
Arrange cooked parsnips, split lengthwise, in a shallow baking dish. Pour over them thin white sauce, sprinkle with bread crumbs, and bake until sauce bubbles and crumbs are brown.

Baked Turnips
2 pounds turnips
1/2 cup butter or margarine
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 teaspoons sugar
1/2 cup turnips
Pare turnips and cut into cubes. Place in a baking dish with remaining ingredients. Cover closely and bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) about 1 hour or until tender. Serves 6 to 8.

Turnips With Pepper Sauce
1/2 cup chopped onion
1 cup chopped green pepper
4 tablespoons fat
1 recipe medium white sauce
3 cups cooked turnips
Cook onion and green pepper in fat until tender. Add white sauce and turnips and heat thoroughly. Serves 6 to 8.

Small Gardens Are to Be More Popular After the War, Says Annette Flanders

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"The real reasons for any garden are use and pleasure it gives," Annette Hoyt Flanders, nationally known landscape architect, told me. She was taking time from gardening on her wooded estate, "The Shelter," at nearby Oconomowoc, to talk about postwar planning at home. The day of the big luxury showplace is gone, she believes.

"For every large garden or estate I have designed, I have planned dozens of small ones," she said. Looking up from new lettuce beds alongside the 40-year-old rose garden, she commented that there was a silver lining to some of our war clouds, and forecast that after the war, when there is no longer need for so many vegetables, we shall have greater numbers of small gardens. "They will

be more beautiful, too," she predicted, "for through Victory Garden work, thousands of persons who had not gardened before will have come to know the soil and its possibilities.

"Soil must be well worked before it is at its best, so our Victory Gardens will furnish well-prepared sites for the development of other types of gardens. Use and beauty go hand in hand. Gardens should bring fresh foods and blooms, recreation and entertainment, artistically combined. My favorite garden, even in peacetime, is a combination of vegetables, fruits, and flowers," she said. "I love to go through the garden and nibble and sniff, pick parsley, smell a rose, see and feel the abundance of vegetation."

Mrs. Flanders thinks, too, that gardens should be outdoor living rooms. In putting an inclosure

around to secure privacy, one may also feature a view beyond the garden, planting low in certain parts, and high at each side, so as to frame it—perhaps a view into a neighbor's garden, at the same time, providing the neighbor a view of one's own.

Center of Interest
Mrs. Flanders points out that a common error is to try to create a feeling of space in a small garden, by pushing out the planting to the border—an error that defines the boundary, and shows how small the garden really is. The aim should be, instead, to hold the attention within the garden by making its central portion charming, by calling attention not to the limitations, but to the beauty. Another error is to attempt what is popularly known as a naturalistic garden, which she says is too often really nothing but a shallow imitation.

"Many useful plants are also ornamental," she reminded. "Parsley is a charming edge for a flower bed. Red cabbage and purple kale are effective in flower arrangement. Tomato vines can be grown in espalier form, as one trains a fruit tree, and are attractive against a whitewashed fence."

Mrs. Flanders began her career at the age of two and one-half years, digging with a spoon in the home garden under her grandmother's guidance. An early ambition was to hybridize, become a present-day Burbank and produce more and better plants, somewhat as grass and wheat have lately been crossed to create a perennial wheat that will yield year after year without being replanted.

Mrs. Flanders started building gardens as a contribution to charity. Later, through necessity, avocation became vocation, and her life work the designing of beauty for others. Building gardens is but part of it; through lecturing and teaching classes of laymen, she has helped many to realize their own ability to surround themselves with beauty. "One only needs the desire to make a beautiful garden, then the way will open," she says.

More Small Gardens
Plans, paintings, and photographs all but cover the walls and fill the huge files in her Milwaukee offices. Mrs. Flanders is convinced that the great number of small houses to be built after the war will tremendously increase the number of smaller, simpler gardens which will require less upkeep. Most of the French gardens were of this double purpose type, she says, for the French are a thrifty people who make their gardens serve their practical as well as their aesthetic needs.

While it may not occur to the average individual to think of professional landscaping in connection with small gardens, Mrs. Flanders pointed out that these form the bulk of most professional landscape work. Professional advice and help in planning a small garden are of particular value, she explains, where advantage must be taken of every bit of space. Mrs. Flanders is especially interested in working on small gardens because of their important contribution to the average American home.

Landscape architecture is not merely the building of a flower garden, she points out; it covers all types of land development, and is the art of adapting land to all phases of human use and enjoyment.

With so many young men in the armed forces, Mrs. Flanders anticipates the need for trained landscape architects, and thinks this field will prove attractive to young women now planning careers.

Indians in Mexico Show Tie With Many American Tribes

By Ta-de-Win
Special to The Christian Science Monitor

MEXICO, D. F.—Stalwart and friendly Indians everywhere in colorful Mexico! The sarape-wrapped Tarascan, with his wife sporting a long, full red skirt; the Aztec in knee-length white breeches and still whiter shirt; the tall Zapotec and squat Huasteca; the stately Tehuana in frilled, white headpiece and gorgeously embroidered skirt and blouse, and the non-descript city Indian trudging along with his faithful dog close upon his heels! Now where did they come from and when?

To have light shed on this ever-intriguing Indian migration question I sought out the anthropologist, Prof. Wiggert Jimenez Moreno, in his office in the National Museum. Professor Moreno's answers to those two all-important questions, furnish another link in the already strong chain of Hemispheric solidarity. He says that the main stream of Indian migration came from Asia across Behring Strait, down through Canada and the United States into Mexico and still further southward. Picture those streaming hordes of stolid, dark-skinned Indians trekking southward, ever southward, though their moving columns thinned from time to time as some Indian groups stayed in what is now Canada and the United States. And so it happens that Mexican Indians have numerous relatives in the countries up north.

The South U. S. Is Found
In fact some ceramics recently found in the Huasteca region, Mexico, is of the same type as that which has been known for years in Arkansas. And this discovery is one of the reasons for convening the third Conference of the Round Table of the Mexican Society of Anthropology, which is to meet here in Mexico from Aug. 25 to Sept. 2. Then anthropologists from the United States and Latin America are to discuss Indian cultural affiliations thought to exist between Mexico, Central America and the southeastern and southwestern part of the United States, specially between the ancient Indians of Arkansas and the Huastecas. And perhaps there will be brought to light a common family tree for the two friendly nations, north and south of the Rio Grande.

However, in answer to my question if there were not Indians who were always in Mexico, so far as is known, Professor Moreno explained that some Indians have been in Mexico a long time, just how long he couldn't say, as the usual means of establishing chron-

ology is so far either by tree-ring analysis, or by the careful study of pottery, and the pottery horizon in Mexico is comparatively late, somewhere between 300 and 500 B. C.

Four Distinct Groups
But there are four distinct Mexican groups able to be definitely placed: first, the Hokan-Siouan, who came from nobody knows where, but who have their linguistic aunts and cousins among the Pomo of California, the Yumas of Arizona and the Sioux of the Dakotas.

Then came the Macro-Mayance, which include the Mayas and their offshoots and offspring; next there arrived the Macro-Otomangue, under which heading are listed the Otomis, and last came the Yuto-Aztecas, who left behind them the Utes and the Papagos of the United States. These Yuto-Azteca migrants probably settled in Mexico 15 centuries ago, while Professor Moreno sets the date of the arrival of the other three groups way into B. C.

Even at this there are still tribes in Mexico that were here long before these groups and which have not been tabulated, as the Pericu Indians of lower California, though physical anthropology has already discovered a relationship between these Indians and the very ancient people of Lagoa Santa in Brazil, according to Sr. Moreno.

How They Got Names
The way that some tribes, that have not come under the anthropologic microscope, obtained their names is interesting. Take the Tarascan, which word is comparatively recent, bestowed upon these Indians by the Spaniards. In those days it was the custom of the Indian father to give his daughter to a Conquistador, thus acquiring a son-in-law, which in their language is "tarasque," and this name, modified to Tarascan, has clung to these Indians, who make up such an integral and picturesque part of the country around Patzcuaro, Michoacan.

In the summing up, it all seems so simple. Those Indian tribes that liked to travel kept on going, others lingered along the way so that today it is difficult to find any Indian tribe in the Americas that hasn't linguistic relatives in some part of the Western Hemisphere, which makes us one big family, as far as Indians are concerned.

Prof. Moreno received his B. A. Degree in the University of Mexico, studied in the Graduate School of Anthropology at Harvard University and has a Guggenheim Fellowship for further study.

Farmers Scan '44 Program; No Definite Group Victory

By Dorothea Kahn
Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

CHICAGO, Aug. 13—Now that the 1944 farm program has been wrapped up and delivered to the country by Congress, farm organizations are taking stock to see to what extent it was tailored to the measure of their demands. On the whole, they find only moderate changes, so that no one organization can claim great victories or losses. The best features of existing legislation doubtless were retained, in the opinion of the majority of farm organizations.

But one thing is clear from the comments of the various farm groups upon the program, and that is that there is no solid "bloc" of farm organizations—no united front for agriculture despite the common use of the term "farm bloc" to indicate that there is.

The biggest agricultural issue in this Congress—whether to adopt food subsidies—found agriculture divided with the Farmers' Union backing the administration's subsidy program, and the three large farm organizations—American Farm Bureau Federation, National Grange, and National Council of Farmer Co-operatives—united in opposition to it.

Extension for CCC
On this issue nobody is claiming a victory. For decision was in effect postponed by the extension of the life of the Commodity Credit Corporation until next January. Said a Farm Bureau publication: "Final action was inconclusive because the substitute resolution passed did not either legalize or prohibit roll-back subsidies and left the roll-back both clouded as to legality and limited as to funds." The matter will certainly come before Congress this fall, before the CCC extension expires.

The subsidy controversy overshadowed other farm legislation; nevertheless a good deal was accomplished in other agricultural fields. The Agricultural Adjustment Administration stands. This satisfies the major farm organizations which have agreed, despite their criticism of specific aspects of it, that its main outlines are sound. Appropriation of \$400,000,000 for soil conservation and soil building practices and for certain specified commodity payments is in general a measure approved by farm organizations.

AAA's Funds Cut
Funds were appropriated for 1942 parity payments, but no authorization for 1943 payments was made. Some of the farm organizations which had asked for such authorization still have hope that appropriations will be made later.

Reduction in funds for administrative expense of the AAA was in line with the expressed policy of the Grange and the Farm Bureau, which have been hammering away for Government economy. These funds were cut from about

\$54,000,000 to \$30,000,000. But it is not clear that this means an outright reduction, because expenses of the War Food Administration, including county war boards, are not henceforth to be paid by the AAA as formerly. Congress appropriated \$25,000,000 for these purposes.

The long-standing argument among the farm organizations over the Farm Bureau tie-up with the United States Extension Service appeared when Congress considered a proposal to transfer the informational activities of the local AAA committees to the State extension services. To such a transfer the Grange and the Farmers Union, rarely allies, were united in opposition, while the Farm Bureau naturally favored it. Congress settled the matter by abolishing the AAA informational services outright.

Probably second only to the subsidy debate was that on Farm Security. The Farmers' Union, which championed the Farm Security Administration, charged the Farm Bureau with a selfish desire to abolish the FSA in toto, but Farm Bureau leaders claimed they wanted only to see its alleged socialistic policies eliminated and its affairs put on a more economical basis.

The compromise solution effected by Congress pretty well satisfies the Farm Bureau. Administrative expense for rural rehabilitation was cut in half, loans and grants were reduced from about \$100,000,000 to \$60,000,000. The Farmers' Union maintains these cuts are far too drastic, but the Farm Bureau approves the program adopted.

Probably the keenest disappointment to all the farm groups was the abolition of crop insurance. The Farmers' Union predicts the question of its restoration will come up when Congress reconvenes. With the price roll-back and subsidy issue still alive, it appears Congress won't be allowed to forget the farmers even though it has finished the main job of drafting the 1943 farm program.

Henry Ford II Back at Dearborn
DETROIT, Aug. 13 (P)—Lieut. (j. g.) Henry Ford II has been released from active duty in the United States Naval Reserve to enable him to take up important duties at the Ford Motor Company.

The eldest son of the late Edsel B. Ford was placed on the inactive list on July 26.

"I am planning to familiarize myself with all phases of the Company's business," he said today.

Last May 26, Henry Ford, founder, resumed the presidency of the Ford Motor Company and Henry II was re-elected to the board of directors. The younger Henry Ford is married and the father of two daughters.



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Javery Headed for New Victory High as Brave

By Ed Rumill

Backed up his 10th victory, 3-2, over the Chicago Cubs yesterday in 12 innings. Al Javery dropped the lead ball that this is going to be his last season since entering the National League in what now seems a very distant 1940.

The Javery right-hander from Oxford, Mass., reached a milestone a year ago when he won an eleven game game for the Braves. The season before it had been 10. But this time, "Big Al" Javery should have a season going over the 15 mark, with a chance to get up to 20.

Deserved Shutout

This great victory over the Cubs was part of a remarkable Javery. After a season of being a pitcher in the American League at Philadelphia, he came into a mediocre strike, as in other "dream" games. He had been in the past. Between the 10th and 11th, he showed signs of being a champion. At times, Javery must have been tempted to back out of the game. But yesterday, "Big Al" Javery looked like the greatest pitcher in the league. With his help, the Braves have a shutout over the regulars in the 10th inning.

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Whitely Weltmann continues to take a prominent part in the batting attack. He has moved to a sensational 10th place in the first three games of the series and now has his seasonal average up to .246. That, for a defensive player of Whitely's ability, is exceptionally good. Too, he has driven in the very good total of 30 runs. He is building up the reputation of a good "clutch" hitter.

The Chicago series closes tomorrow with a Ladies' Day single.

High School Boy Regular Catcher With Coast Team

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 13 (AP)—A new saga of Billy the Kid. He is, for the purpose of exact identification, Billy Sami. Only 15 years old. Not yet out of high school.

Yet he's the first-string catcher of the Los Angeles baseball club, a team that is running away from the pack in the Pacific Coast League.

A series of occurrences projected the headless Billy into the spotlight. First, Eddie Fernandez was injured, and a few days later Billy Holm went out. The Angels didn't have a catcher.

Flattering Offers

In desperation, President Clarence (Patsy) Rowland went to Sami's parents. They had intervened against flattering offers from various major league clubs—the Pittsburgh Pirates, Boston

Red Sox, Cleveland Indians and Chicago Cubs. Billy, they reasoned, should stay at home and in school. But the veteran Patsy Rowland was persuasive, and, aided and abetted by a \$10,000 bonus, one of the highest ever made by a base ball club, Sami over the parents.

Sami joined the Angels the next day and in his first turn at bat smashed out a home run. If the club was inclined to be concerned about a mere youngster handling the catching duties it changed over quickly.

Billy has played 12 games and is batting .321. He has thrown out 11 runners trying to steal bases. Three times men trying to score have charged into him, bounced back and been tagged out. He's still calling signals, and the veteran Los Angeles pitching staff isn't shaking its collective head at them, either.

Rowland, who managed the Chicago White Sox for a time when the great Ray Schalk was catching, says Holm is a better receiver and a mortal pinch to be in the majors next year. Still, Sami remains the first-string catcher for Los Angeles, and so long as the Angels keep on winning he'll continue to be.

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National League

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.	G.B.
St. Louis	42	23	470	
Pittsburgh	44	49	324	14½
Cincinnati	54	49	324	14½
Brooklyn	54	50	319	15
Philadelphia	50	56	472	20
Chicago	47	55	461	21
Boston	45	52	459	21
New York	38	64	372	36

Results Aug. 12

Boston 2, Chicago 2 (12 ins.).
St. Louis 4, New York 1.
Brooklyn 3, Cincinnati 6.
Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 3.

American League

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.	G.B.
New York	62	39	614	
Detroit	52	48	558	9½
Cleveland	52	48	558	9½
Washington	51	51	519	9½
Chicago	52	50	510	10½
Boston	50	53	485	12
St. Louis	45	55	450	16½
Philadelphia	40	64	385	23½

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Newcomers In Semifinal Of Women's Golf

EVANSTON, Ill., Aug. 13 (AP)—It's Catherine Fox vs. Dorothy Germain and Mary Agnes Wall vs. Peggy Kirk in the semifinals of the women's western amateur golf tournament today at the Evanston Golf Club.

For Miss Fox and Miss Germain, both newcomers this season to the Midwest golf scene, it's a second-straight appearance in a women's western tournament semifinal round. Both reached that stage in opposite brackets, in the open meet in June and last.

Met Years Before

Miss Fox, Glen Ridge, N. J., and Miss Germain, a Philadelphia, met four and five years ago in junior inter-state team matches, and Miss Germain won both times.

Miss Wall of Menominee, Mich., was a finalist in this meet two years ago and a semifinalist last year. Her opponent today, Miss Kirk of Findlay, Ohio, has played in the western amateur only once before.

Miss Germain had a fine three-under-par medal score for the 14 holes it took her to beat Ann Casey of Mason City, Iowa, 5 and 4, yesterday.

Full 18 Holes

All the other quarter-final efforts required the full 18 holes. Miss Fox defeated Marjorie Row of Detroit, Mich., one up, and Miss Wall won from Jeanne Cline of Bloomington, Ill., by the same margin, being spared an overtime when Miss Cline, putting for a win on the final hole, saw her seven-footer roll around the rim of the cup and then out.

Miss Kirk had a two-up decision against Betty Jean Rucker of Spokane, Wash., but it was closer than that. Miss Kirk was three up at the turn and after halving the next four holes lost, so in a row leaving only a one-up edge. The next two holes also were halved, but Miss Rucker fired her second shot on the 18th into shrubbery bordering a water hole and lost so many strokes she had to concede.

Schroeder And Segura Triumph In Net Tourney

RYE, N. Y., Aug. 13 (AP)—Francisco Segura, top-seeded Ecuadorian, blasted his way into the semifinals of the eastern grass courts tennis championships at the Westchester Country Club yesterday by outlasting stubborn James Brink of Seattle, 6-0, 7-5.

Dr. Schroeder, last-hour entrant into the tourney, defeated Princeton's Dick Bender, 6-3, 7-5, in his first appearance on the courts.

In the women's division, Pauline Betz, first-seeded national player, crushed Barbara Scofield of San Francisco, 6-1, 6-1. Second-seeded Louise Brough of Beverly Hills, Calif., eliminated Margaret Cary of San Diego, 6-1, 6-0.

Doris Hart of Miami, Fla., third in the women's seedings, defeated Barbara Nields of Rye, 6-1, 6-1. Fourth-seeded Margaret Osborne of San Francisco eliminated Miss Joe Hunt of Annapolis, Md., 6-2, 6-0.

The men's and women's doubles matches got under way late in the afternoon with the favorite two-some of Pauline Betz and Doris Hart defeating Barbara Barnard and Mrs. Ruth Traversy of Montreal in straight sets, 6-1, 6-0.

In the men's doubles Schroeder and Hunt teamed together to defeat the youthful combination of John Shea and Eugene Garrett, 6-3, 6-4.

Segura paired with Sidney Wood to win their first-round match from Charles Oliver of Perth Amboy, N. J., and James Gates of Chicago, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3.

Yale Football Schedule Again Changes Teams

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 13 (AP)—Yale announced still another revision in its nine-game football schedule today, scratching the Lakehurst Naval Training Station which was dropped to open the season.

Ogden D. Miller, Yale Athletic Director, said Lakehurst officials asked the cancellation, asserting that for reasons beyond their control the naval team would be unable to fill the date.

Muhlenberg, an Allentown, Pa., institution, never has played Yale before. The team, coached by Al Julian, is expected to be considerably stronger than usual this year, the Yale announcement said, because of the presence of more than 400 V-12 Marine corps trainees at the college.

That there will be spontaneous intercollegiate, everyone expects. There were minor merry-makings in some of San Francisco's foreign colonies when Mussolini was derailed. There will be others, undoubtedly, when Hitler joins the former comrade in the limbo of diverted conquerors, when Italy surrenders unconditionally, when Berlin falls. The war will not be over for the Pacific Coast and for San Francisco until Japan capitulates—and few on this rim of the Pacific expect an armistice—only submission after a grueling struggle.

So San Franciscans do not feel that they are being either over-optimistic or exaggeratedly foreboding in laying plans for that one great splurge of celebrating which will mean that the war is ended. The City which, it now is widely said, "knows how," knows also that planning and working out plans bring best results.

It was an eminently successful and practical planner and expeditor, Ernest Ingold, President of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, who called for organization of the "When the Lights Go On" Committee. Ted Huggins,

public relations man and specialist in special events, is Chairman of the Committee. On the Committee are a major general, several clergymen, advertising men, lighting engineers, pageant specialists, school authorities, transportation specialists, women's organization leaders, United Nations representatives, an dothers.

Proven Workers

Some members of the Committee, including the Chairman, proved their energies and abilities along similar lines in connection with the San Francisco World's Fair in 1939-40. No names are on the Committee for decorative purposes; all are workers.

The Committee recognizes as its No. 1 business the fact that it will have only a few hours' notice to put its plan into effect. That is the main reason for the elaborate advance planning.

Air-raid alarms, churchbells, sirens, police and fire departments, Army and Navy searchlights, ships in the Bay, and red fire on both the city's bridges will be the first signal that the war is over, it is planned.

That first night, the plan calls for the turning on of every light in every building and every home in the City, plus, of course, every street and outside light.

The following day will be declared a general holiday by the Mayor.

N. Y. Juvenile Delinquency Studied by Mayor's Committee

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, Aug. 12—Offenses centering around the home, including running away and disobeying parents, accounted for 96 per cent of the net increase in juvenile delinquency in 1942 over the previous year, according to the first report of the Mayor's Committee on Juvenile Delinquency handed to Mayor Fiorello H. La Guardia here today.

These same offenses, together with truancy and burglary made up 81 per cent of the delinquency increase during the first four months of 1943 over the comparable period for 1942, the report said.

In its initial report, the Committee makes no attempt to present recommendations for solution of the juvenile delinquency problem, merely analyzing 16,059 records of the Children's Court Division of the Domestic Relations Court for the 30-month period from Jan. 1, 1941, to June 30, 1943. The group, headed by William B. Herlands, City Investigation Commissioner, will issue other reports on the subject as its work progresses.

The Committee found that the 1942 increase over 1941 in offenses centering around the home, was made up as follows: Disobeying parents, an increase of 206 offenses; running away, an increase of 152, and staying away from home, an increase of 62 offenses.

Truancy showed the largest rise in the first four months of 1943, accounting for 31 per cent of the period's net increase. In this it edged out burglary, which was the most frequent complaint in 1941 and 1942.

The Committee cautioned that a statement of gross figures on juvenile delinquency was of little help in either throwing light on

the actual extent and real character of juvenile delinquency or in furnishing the basis for a program of prevention and treatment.

"By analyzing these statistics in terms of specific types of misconduct involved, the Committee has completed the first step in getting a picture of the extent and character of current juvenile delinquency in New York City," the report says.

The Committee reported that 370 more children were found delinquent by the Court in the first four months of this year than in the same period in 1942. While 3,197 children were found delinquent in 1941, in 1942 there were 3,560 delinquents, a city-wide increase of 363 children for the latter year.

"Part of this figure of 363 is attributable to a change in the Court's administrative procedure," the report continues. "There are 916,000 children between the ages of 7 and 15, inclusive, in this City, according to the most reliable estimates. This is the age group within the Court's jurisdiction. The 1942 and 1943 increases were distributed unevenly among sex, and race groups and among the boroughs and various neighborhoods within the City. . . .

"A review of the cases of alleged delinquency handled by the Court during its 40 years' experience shows that the annual totals of alleged delinquency often have sharply fluctuated from year to year. The 1941 total of 5,742 cases of alleged delinquency was the lowest during the past decade. The 1942 total of 6,109 cases presents one of the low points on a curve representing the number of cases of alleged delinquency annually handled by the Court."

San Francisco Lights-On Fete To Hail Victorious Peace Day

By Rodney L. Brink

SAN FRANCISCO—This city's "When the Lights Go On Again" committee is bringing its plans right up to the minute. Its official watchers for signs of Axis collapse are on the alert. None is predicting any immediate change, but it is the Committee's intention that San Francisco shall be prepared as fully as possible to celebrate the final victory.

The "When the Lights Go On Again" Committee began to hold meetings and lay its foundation plans months ago, long before the taking of Manila, the capture of Orel and Belgorod, the storming of Sicily. The meetings began while Mussolini still was in power and mulling of empire, before the British and American successes in Tunisia.

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RISING IN MAINEDid You
Ever WonderHow a New Type of Draft
Enables a Furnace to
Burn Its Own Smoke?Smoke from the chimney is a
bad sign. Not only is it an un-
welcome visitor in the whole neigh-
borhood as it descends in the form
of soot but it also reveals that
some of the fuel used in the fur-
nace is being wasted.

A new down-draft type of fur-

nace has been developed at the
University of Illinois. This furnace
is said to consume more than 90
per cent of all the smoke pro-
duced by the combustion of even
volatile soft coal, to reduce the
amount of fuel consumed, and to
make possible the use of less ex-
pensive grades of coal.The striking reduction of smoke
is made possible by a vertical
baffle wall suspended inside the
furnace to produce a separation
between the fresh or "green" coal.A down-draft
B—up-draft
C—green coal
D—hot coke
E—warm air
to house
F—smoke-free
burned gases
G—cold air intake
H—ash pan

DOWN-DRAFT TYPE OF FURNACE

Crossword Quiz

Prepared for The Christian Science Monitor
by Frances Briggs

Across

1—What is name of the winged horse of
Greek mythology?
7—What Italian-French composer was
born in 1802?
8—What is symbol for barium?
10—Pedal digit.
11—Large cask is what?
12—What do you call fairy mentioned in
Persian myths?
13—If you own a Siamese pet, it is prob-
ably what?
14—Who was mother of ancient Irish gods?
15—Pronoun.
17—Fore limb of a vertebrate is what?
18—What is used for room of a book-
store?
21—What is a cape of western Alaska?
22—According to Ruskin, "no" is
without its innocent hope?
23—Equality as in value.
24—Who has principal role in the motion
picture "Pilot No. 5"?
25—What British island in Mediterranean
is of limestone formation?
26—What is the great cypress-like forest
tree of Pacific Coast?

Down

1—Small plot of ground is what?
2—Who was sister of Cadmus?
3—Joy.
4—What State of U. S. ranks 26th in
size (abbr.)?
5—What is a suffix forming diminutives?
6—A Castilian is also what?
7—Vocalist.
8—What are said to be sometimes as
weighty as words?
9—What was middle name of Joel Harris,
American author?
10—A Castilian is also what?
11—What are said to be sometimes as
weighty as words?
12—What is an equestrian game?
13—Primer are used for teaching children
to do what?
14—What is line or mark from which
players at marbles shoot?
15—Potomac River flows along south-
western boundary of what State of U. S.
(abbr.)?(Answer Block Appears Among the Ad-
vertisements)

Daily Anecdote

Lesson in Timing

"It's timing that counts," re-
marked a celebrated actor, discuss-
ing his art. "Just a shade too
much hesitancy delivering a line,
or a bit too much haste, or again
a gesture just an instant out of
time or too long drawn out, and
a carefully planned effect can be
completely ruined."

He further remarked that even
the greatest of performers some-
times err in one or the other of
these respects, and cited an ex-
perience of Henry Irving to illus-
trate his point.

Irving was playing Macbeth,
and had worked his audience into
an unusually high pitch of excite-
ment. He had just reached the
point where Macbeth orders Ban-
quo's ghost to leave the banquet
table.

"Hence, horrible shadow! Unreal
mockery, hence!" Irving declaimed
in his most tragic manner, as he
sank to the ground and drew his
robe over his face.

It was a moving effect, but, alas,
Sir Henry must have covered in
his cloak for an instant too long.
For suddenly the deep stillness of
the moment was broken by a
high-pitched, sympathetic voice
from the gallery shouting, "It's all
right, now, 'Entry, he's gone!"

and the incandescent coals glowing
hot in the up-draft.

A secondary down-draft (the
furnace being thus provided with
two drafts) makes its way through
a passage in the baffle wall. The
down-draft air mixes with the vol-
atile gases given off by the green
coal at the point where the gases
pass through the intensely hot coke
and provides extra oxygen to as-
sure the gases being burned. Were
some provision not made for con-
suming these gases from the green
coal they would swirl up the chim-
ney as smoke.

It is not necessary to buy a new
furnace in order to enjoy the bene-
fits of down-draft firing. A con-
version unit also has been de-
veloped by means of which it is
possible to convert an ordinary
furnace into one of the down-draft
type.

The unit consists of a bottomless
metal box which is pushed in
through the fire-door of the fur-
nace. This box forms a sort of an-
te-chamber in the furnace where
the green coal can be burned and
its smoke forced to pass through
the hot coals below. The down-
draft which helps consume the
smoke and soot enters through
holes in the sides of the box.

When war restrictions are re-
moved, both the down-draft type
furnace and the conversion unit
are expected to be available for
purchase.—W. P. Keasbey.

Just for Fun

Gene Carr



My Secret Ambition

Share your "Secret Ambition" with our readers in this new feature. If it's on the
humorous side, it's all the more acceptable. Limit your contribution to less than 50
words. One dollar will be paid for each printed item.

"Though I am working in an air-
plane factory, helping build 'that
plane' for my husband to fly home
from overseas," writes Mrs. R. E.
H., Glendale, Calif., "my pet am-
bition is to have enough time to
follow every free truck I see speed-
ing by, as I'm on my way to my
daily routine."

"I have eaten large green
olives," confides R. B. Bronx,

N. Y., "but My Secret Ambition
is to eat green olives as large
as the size of my head!"

W. E. W., Winthrop, Mass.,
thinking of stuffy classrooms re-
minded, "I am a busy drafting in-
structor but My Secret Ambition
is to have a cool, woody garden
where I would grow, not the usual
cultivated flowers, but the rarer

wild flowers native to New En-
gland. Then to complete the pic-
ture I would plant trees and shrubs
particularly attractive to various
types of song birds."

"I'm a homemaker—sort of," ad-
mits Mrs. V. N., Glendale, Calif.
"My Secret Ambition is to hang
my washing on the clothesline
so obtrusively that all the neigh-
bors do not come running over
with such remarks as: 'So, you're
washing today?' 'Hm-m, you
didn't wring them dry?' 'When?'
'Why?' And so on and so on."

"Laundry work should be as pri-
vate an affair as bathing."

Brevities

St. Louis Star-Times: Another
great mystery is what becomes of
the pieces when you "break" a
dollar bill.

Indianapolis News: There is a
shortage of persons to mend holes
that have been burned in pockets
by war wages.

I Record only
the Sunny Hours

'His Day Was Made'

New York City

This happened at Grand Central
Station a few mornings ago: A
businessman with a sore foot hur-
ried into a taxi from which a
young man and lady had just alighted.
The cab had not gone 50
feet when on the floor he found a
\$20 bill. He stopped the driver and,
fast as he could, limped back to the
station, recalling only that the
young man was with a lady, wore
a uniform and was not very tall.

In the station were a thousand
or two of uniforms and hundreds
of civilians. Through the crowd he
hurried, inspecting lineups at the
tracks and windows, hoping for a
clue. Finally near the line at the
last ticket window he saw a girl
standing alone, crying. He scanned
the line and at the window was
a man of medium height in navy
uniform talking earnestly to the
agent. He approached the girl and
asked if she had just gotten out of
a cab with a man in uniform. She
had—with a navy man. He asked
where the man was, and she took
him to the head of the line.

There the young man, with not
enough money, was seeking a way
back to duty before his leave ex-
pired. A few excited words and
the owners had their money.

The girl wept again, and the
young man, tongue-tied, held the
finder's hand and elbow in a grip
he still feels. When he got back to
his cab the meter read "85c." His
day was made, and mine was, too,
when he told me.—A. Vere Shaw
in New York World-Telegram.

A Verse
for Today...

They shall cry unto the
Lord because of the op-
pressors, and he shall
send them a saviour,
and a great one, and he
shall deliver them.—
Isa. 19:20

NEWS ITEM—

FISHERMEN ARE STRANGE INDIVIDUALS.

THEY'LL GET UP BEFORE THE
CRACK OF DAWNSTAND IN THE BULRUSHES
AND BATTLE INSECTS ALL DAY

OR SIT IN THE BLAZING SUN

AND THEN COME HOME AT NIGHT
AND CONFESS

Tubby and Buddy & Co.—Almost Overdid It

By LE PELLEY

BENJAMIN... I HOPE
YOU WEREN'T PLANNING
ON SLEEPING OUT
TONIGHT—



OH... I
WAS THINKING
ABOUT IT...



NO—I DON'T LIKE
THE IDEA OF YOUR
BEING 'WAY OUT IN
THAT TENT...



NOW, NO FUSSING! THE
ANSWER IS 'NO'!

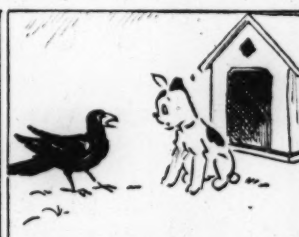


The Diary of Snubs, Our Dog—Blackie Returns

By RODGERS



This afternoon I was thinking
what a good sport of Jerry is,
where suddenly Blackie came
sailing down beside me!



"Is there a place around here
where I can lie low?" he
asked breathlessly—



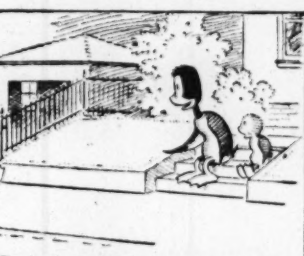
"Come right in here," I
suggested, leading him into
my doghouse.



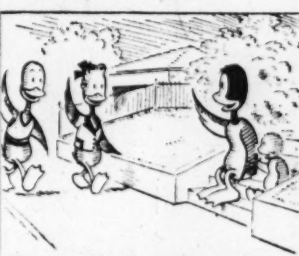
"Boy! I will be sunk if
I don't discover me in here,"
Blackie cawed.

The Adventures of Waddles—Speed Lost Something Besides the Race

By THE HAGERS



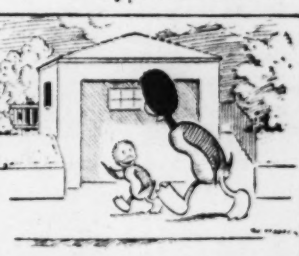
The back-stroke champion we met;
Speed Scooter walked beside Claudette.



There seemed to be no rancor there.
He lost the race—but didn't care.



Said I, "Speed doesn't look let down
Because Claudette has snatched his crown."



I saw doubt written on Bud's face.
Said he, "Speed let her win that race."

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"First the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear"

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Editorials

Quebec Spotlights a Need

Russia's statement that Premier Stalin was not invited to the conference at Quebec is no reason for added concern over the Soviet relations with the United States and Britain. On the contrary, Russia has not been snubbed. President Roosevelt has made that clear. On their part the Russians obviously are endeavoring to make clear that they did not snub their Allies by refusing to attend the conference.

The earliest rumors of an Allied conference assumed it would be held at some point to which Premier Stalin could easily travel. These reports thus created the impression that the next meeting of Allied leaders was being designed to include the Russians.

Wherever they originated, the rumors were soon being broadcast by Axis propagandists, with the purpose of ultimately creating an appearance of a crisis in Allied relations.

They succeeded to this extent: when the conference was announced, there was a general hope among the American and British peoples that it would include Premier Stalin. Most informed persons must have guessed it would not, however, the moment Quebec was announced as the meeting place.

Perhaps inevitably the President added to misunderstanding when asked in a press conference about the Russians. For in interpreting his statement that he would have been awfully glad to have them, commentators added to the very assumption the Axis was trying to create—that Premier Stalin had been invited and had refused to attend.

The Russian denial helps to clear the air of misunderstanding on this point.

But beyond this, the important fact remains: A conference with the Russians is much needed, not to impress the Axis but to assure the peoples of the United Nations that the objectives for which they are fighting are not going to be lost in a political scramble after the war. The manner in which the American press in particular has treated the reports on the Quebec conference shows that American public opinion is moving fast in the direction which British opinion took some time ago, namely, toward an eagerness for fundamental understanding with the Russian ally.

Evidently the American people are becoming aware that the greatest threat to a lasting United Nations victory and a genuine peace lies in the efforts of the Germans to split the Russians from their partners now or after the war. The prime objective of German strategy, now that defeat in the field is certain, is to maneuver the victors into positions from which they cannot maintain their political victory.

From the German point of view the weakest point in the Allied front lies between the Anglo-American grouping on the one hand and the Russian ally on the other. It is there that the Germans will direct their political fire.

It is a good thing that Americans are waking up to this fact—waking up sufficiently to demand their Government miss no honorable opportunity to bring Russia closely into Allied councils.

Fighting Dollars

It may be true, as someone has said, that "Seldom comes a loan laughing home," but never did individuals have greater reasons for sending a loan smiling on its way than underlie the opportunity to "Back the Attack With War Bonds." Victories in North Africa, Sicily, Russia, and the Pacific, developments in Italy, effective bombings in Germany, Rumania, and elsewhere on the Continent, have eased the burden in many a heart and brought that much closer the time when America's fighting lads will be setting glad faces toward home shores.

This increase in the Allied offensive tempo calls for a corresponding acceleration of every kind of home-front effort, not the least of which is the purchase of war bonds. Thus the Third War Loan campaign which is to open, on September 9 aims at a national minimum goal of \$15,000,000,000—the greatest financial task ever undertaken by any nation. Since commercial banks are to be excluded from purchasing the securities, the success of the drive will depend on the readiness of each individual to make every available dollar a fighting dollar.

The American public already has placed many billions in war bonds, and loyally surpassed original goals in the two previous bond campaigns. But the men in the service have not stopped with one victory, or two, or three; they continue to put forth everything they have into the onward push for total victory. September will show how the home folks are keeping pace.

Hat's In, But With a String

Mr. Willkie has accurately assessed the American political temper, and has, we believe, correctly delineated what the Republicans must offer if they are to win the 1944 campaign. Between the lines of the statement made to his party friends in Rushville is a clear bid for another Presidential nomination—but on his own terms.

Those terms will scarcely erase the opposition he has encountered from the "Old Guard," for he insists upon a liberalism in domestic affairs that points toward many of the same general social objectives now being pursued, but specifying (and we applaud) that the policies be more competently and economically administered.

Nor will his terms please those sections of the isolationist thought that have sought company in the Republican Party. With the possible exception of Lieutenant Commander Stassen, Mr. Willkie is presently the outstanding internationalist of the Grand Old Party, and his statement does not compromise his "One World" position.

This, we believe, is his greatest strength. It offsets much of the public feeling that it would be unwise to change leadership in the midst of war, or in the midst of the complicated peace negotiations that will follow the war. It is daily becoming more clear that the Roosevelt Administration has lagged in its preparations for peace. Few things would probably embarrass America more than a German surrender in the next twenty-four hours.

At this writing, Mr. Willkie seems to offer more in the way of positive leadership in the unfolding peace than the incumbent administration. That is an immense political asset, and a contribution to his party of incalculable value.

To the Philippines

There have been many times, and many long periods, in the forty-five years since the United States first took over the Philippines that an American could not have spoken to the Filipino people as President Roosevelt just has done. It is a mark of the times that Americans, along with vast groups of other peoples, now spurn imperialism and are willing, even eager, to share the ideals and privileges of liberty with all.

Mr. Roosevelt really said little new in his radio address to the Philippines. Three weeks after the Japanese invasion of the islands he promised to "establish and protect" the independence of the Philippines. Indeed, many of the practical requirements, and even a time-table, for such independence had been worked out before the war.

Only questions of military and economic security caused continuance of a protectorate that all Americans wished to be benevolent in the extreme. However, it is equally true that only a peace that guarantees universal physical protection and economic opportunities for all can provide an atmosphere in which small, independent governments can be safe and prosperous.

The Filipinos understood this, and when the moment came when they had to choose between the smooth promises of Nippon and the straight talk of the Yankees, they chose to stand on the side of the Stars and Stripes. There is solid reason for believing they remain firm, even under the alternating lashings and blandishments of the Japanese.

The President has said there will be a Philippine Republic the moment the Japanese are driven from the islands. This is true. And the bonds established between the brave men on Bataan and Corregidor will prove a more friendly and enduring link between the United States and the Philippines in the peaceful, progressive years to come.

"Don't they ever ration spinach?" innocently inquired Junior at the dinner table last night. No, Junior, there is never apparently any shortage of spinach, taxes, rush-hour crowds, cutworms, bean beetles, and Washington jobholders.

The boys at the front don't know what we have to go through at home. A stenographer we know had to apply at five soda fountains and two ten-cent stores before she could get a package of gum.

Some grocers are finding that a good dray horse today is just about worth his weight in golden California oranges—or blueberries.

We failed to notice whether Vice President Wallace's new book was dedicated to anyone in the headquarters of the RFC.

Our Readers Say—

Pertinent excerpts from letters
To The Christian Science Monitor

Youth on Youth's Voting

After having read of the trends which the question of changing the voting age to eighteen has taken, I decided to write and tell you how I feel about it. My opinion is that of many girls and boys of 17 and 18.

Toward the end of the year the United States History class, of which I was a member, had a rather lengthy discussion on this subject. The class concluded that although the average youth has perhaps the intelligence and education which his parents possess, he does not have the mature wisdom and independence which can only be acquired through living with others and relying on oneself to make decisions.

Those who are ready for responsibility, accept it more eagerly and take it more seriously. This is why I feel that the voting age should not be lowered.

Wollaston, Mass. GRACE D. DAVIS

An International History

When a nation is left to write its own history of a war in which it has been involved and defeated, it is likely to be biased in favor of itself and to misrepresent facts. If we don't want the next generation of Germans to read from their history books that Britain started this war, that the Allied nations were responsible for all German "misfortunes" leading up to and during the war, and that they used every means of barbaric warfare in order to win, there should be some sort of censorship over all German history-writing after the war.

An international body of historians might be set up to write an unbiased history of the war in all languages to be used as textbooks in the schools and colleges of the world, in order that the children may be told facts, not fictions, truth, not falsehood.

Ashcroft, B. C., Canada R. D. CUMMING

Favors Socialism

Reading Mrs. Lorence R. Farrell's article in The Christian Science Monitor about the conditions she expects when the war is terminated, I believe there can be no excuse in having the same economic conditions in America as we did during the depression.

There can be no excuse for millions of men, women, and children in a state of destitution and depending upon government aid. We are not living in a deficit civilization as did our ancestors. We have everything in America to maintain every family upon a decent and self-respecting level of life.

If unemployment and poverty in America are to be ended, we must bring under social control every element in our economic life.

Cohasset, Mass. PAUL D. ZANNY

Grocery Store Antique

A grocery store at Chimney Rock, North Carolina, has a long brown, dried banana stalk hanging in the window, long since bereft of fruit. It isn't decorative. It may have some sentimental attachment for the grocer. Other stores up and down the highway are filled with antiques. Why not a grocery?

A suggestion of another to be displayed along with the banana stalk would be a tin can of old style dog food.

Sanibel, Fla. MISS ETHEL SNYDER

The Blueberry

Your correspondence relating to that most delightful wild product, "the blueberry," is a reminder of the days, seventy-five years ago, when we youngsters picked the blues in a famous "barren" in eastern Halifax County, Nova Scotia, and sold them to a country shop for five cents a quart.

Have any of your blueberry fans ever drunk ice-cold blueberry juice and water? Better than most soft drinks of the day.

New York WHITTEN GRAHAM

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The Prod Behind the Conferees

An Intimate Message From Washington

By Joseph C. Harsch

We hope we won't be misunderstood from the following as underestimating the very real and in some respects serious friction which mars the present surface of interallied relations. It is far from being unrippled and the kind of mutual confidence necessary to assure a stable peace has not yet been achieved. However, there is a certain coincidence in recent events which is worth careful note because what it suggests may put the picture in a little better perspective.

What we call attention to is the fact that the announcement of the new Churchill-Roosevelt strategy conference was preceded very briefly by some rather prodding and acid words in Moscow. There was the query, "How soon will the British and Americans move from Italian psychology to the German fortifications?" from the pen of Ilya Ehrenburg, and Pravda's resurrection of the "second-front" issue. And at almost the same moment Chungking emits "denials" that it is considering any separate peace with Japan.

Now any Roosevelt-Churchill war conference has one aspect that all the world understands. A routine task is the reassignment of war weapons, both animate and inanimate, from the increasing pool of reserves which these two countries produce. The conferences re-examine the needs of all the war fronts in the light of changes since the previous conference and weigh those needs against increasing resources. Then the planes and tanks and regiments are apportioned according to the results of the analysis.

There has never yet been enough available to satisfy the real or imagined needs of all fronts. Australia has had much less to say about its dire straits since the latest advance of the Allied front in the Solomons and New Georgia and perhaps Australia is now satisfied. At least it is not a vociferous claimant for more attention at the moment. But the Chinese front continues to feel neglected and the Russians have never admitted any general approval of Anglo-American war plans, whether they ever felt it or not.

Obviously, if there is a special case to be made, the time to make it is just before

Give Him a Jeep!



The Size of the Paper

Down the Middle of the Road

By Erwin D. Canham

It is time for readers to have an up-to-the-minute report on the newspaper situation, as it affects the contents of this newspaper.

Most readers, no doubt, will have noticed an additional diminution of pages—about two pages an edition—since the first of July. This shrinkage is because once more the War Production Board has asked American papers to cut their consumption of newsprint. This time to a figure 5 per cent below their 1941 daily net paid consumption.

Since the daily net paid circulation in 1941 was already a sizable percentage below the total press run in many newspapers, the cut is actually about 15 per cent below the size of 1941 newspapers. And it is intensified by the fact that the circulation of most newspapers has increased and all this additional consumption has to come out of the size of the paper.

American readers are still very, very far from receiving the four-page, eight-page, or ten-page papers which are maxima in Great Britain. Probably it will never be necessary to cut so deeply here, because newsprint is produced within the American continent and does not have to come by badly-needed ships.

The authoritative weekly, Editor & Publisher, estimates that 1,735,000 tons will be available for the rest of 1943. There is a conservatively-estimated need for 1,731,000 tons. Although these estimates leave a net surplus of 4,000 tons, such a surplus is only apparent since there are demands for additional tonnage for papers like the Chicago Sun, which was not published during most of this period of 1941, and other papers in areas where population has so multiplied that additional tonnage is necessary to meet basic needs.

Thus, it may be that in the final quarter of this year all our newspapers will be again reduced in size. Such size reductions are particularly difficult to carry out in papers like The Christian Science Monitor which normally had a modest number of pages to begin with. And we, of course, feel our space was severely under pressure even before the cuts. But readers will have noticed the many ways in which we have been economizing—smaller feature pages, elimination of some features not absolutely vital, and the gradual condensation of many others.

Of course, it is impossible and undesirable for the WPB to discriminate between newspapers. Everybody knows that a good deal of newsprint is used up with trash, but the United States is still a democracy and it is vitally important that the freedom of the press shall not be impaired by the necessity of rationing paper. So it is that mountains of newsprint will pour over the dam of sensationalism for the sake of a basic principle. And if it is necessary to conserve paper still further, the American newspapers which have loyally sought to carry out all the curtailments to date can be counted on to take the necessary further steps.

There is one way in which the situation could be eased a little and newspapers are trying to do their part in it. That is to increase the output of pulpwood in the 27 States of the Union where it is produced. Newsprint accounts for only 5 per cent of the pulpwood consumed, 9 per cent more goes for other printing papers, while most of the remainder is used for more immediate war purposes. Labor in the pulpwood industry has been attracted in great numbers to shipyards and war factories where pay is much higher and working conditions probably easier. The American Newspaper Publishers Association is conducting an intensive campaign to urge farmers and others who could cut pulpwood to do their utmost in turning out this essential war material.

Of course, newspapers have no right to ask that shipbuilding or airplane manufacture be slowed up for the sake of newsprint, but in so far as a margin exists within which pulpwood production could be increased, newspapers are appealing for that increase.

It has taken some time for the adjustment to be made, for American publishers are not under the same compulsion as their British colleagues during the blitz. But the curtailment in our newspapers is visible and it will doubtless continue for the duration of the war. Readers will understand.

The Wide Horizon

Beware Nazi Peace Tricks!

By Volney Hard

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From a radio talk over Station WNAC, Boston.

Despite our present victories we must not underestimate the skill of the German High Command. They may not be politicians in the ordinary sense of the word. But they know how to employ international power-politics, of which war, as Bismarck said, is merely a violent extension. They are really always at war.

Sometimes their front is quiet, as between 1919 and 1933 when they were secretly building up their strength. Sometimes it is a case of open preparation, as after 1933 when Hitler came to power. Sometimes it's in a threatening phase as when Austria and Czechoslovakia fell. Sometimes it's a military phase, as at present. Then it becomes a retreat phase, a surrender or armistice phase, and a peace phase. Then the cycle starts again with more quiet preparation.

So we have professional soldiers continually fighting in some form or another under the German High Command. And right now, as they retreat, they are preparing for the inevitable armistice and peace phases of this cycle of war. Hitler must be eliminated for the surrender or armistice phase. Ergo, we get ill-health reports. During the armistice, Germany must have the best conditions. For instance, occupation by British and American troops would be much more preferable to occupation by the Red Army. As to the peace, it must be prepared for in order to give Germany the best chance to come back.

There are significant signs about these phases. The recent stories of Hitler's ill health and of a triumvirate of Göring, Keitel, and Dönitz now really ruling Germany are obvious tricks to facilitate cessation of hostilities. And the question of the armistice and the peace is not hard to figure from one little tip-off from Berlin. That was the release by DNB of so-called Italian peace terms presumably given by us. These were very carefully drawn so that they would look like the terms we would give. But in one little place there, was a joker. They mentioned Italy being governed during the armistice by an Anglo-British-Soviet government.

AMGOT, which is operating the administration of Sicily, is only British and American. Russia is not in that picture at all. But the Germans, knowing the Italian fear of Communism, introduced it to stir up trouble. More important, they figured that it would put fuel on the present Russian feelings about being ignored in the Italian situation. The Red Army might well say it has had to face as many Italian divisions as we faced in North Africa and Sicily. Then again, Italy influences the Balkans, and the Balkans are a very important area of influence for the Russians. Naturally, the Russians may well feel they should be playing a part in the Italian situation. At least the Germans, by putting out perfectly straight-looking peace terms but with this small joker, hope to divide the Allies with this war, hope to divide the Allies this way. Hitler won his prewar victories through dividing his enemies. The High Command hopes to win the peace by the same means. These artfully cooked-up peace terms are one phase of this offensive.

Another related phase would be using an Allied split as regards the armistice or occupation period. When the war reaches the stage where the Germans have to surrender, it seems quite certain that the High Command will arrange it so that the British and American armies will get to Berlin first. If necessary under such a plan, they would retreat rapidly to Berlin while they held the Russians off well to the east. They might well let it out that this was a secret deal with the British and Americans, in an effort to stir up bad feelings between the Russians and the Western Allies.

By this step they would gain better occupation armies and hope to split the Allies. Then when the peace terms are made, out of such conflict, there would presumably be enough loopholes for the German military group to permit them to rebuild power again, although, of course, very secretly at first. So we see what one word added to those peace terms can suggest. Therefore, as the war reaches the final military phase, and we seem to be winning, we should actually be most cautious. Under the surge of victory and the accompanying relief on our part, the Germans will undoubtedly try their best to make our victory a hollow one.

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